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Governor Delivers Biennial Message to General Assembly

Recommends Laws To Prevent Labor Strikes Affecting Lives of Public

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 8.—(P)—Gov. Phil M. Donnelly told Missouri's 64th General Assembly today it should require labor unions to live up to their contracts and enact legislation to prevent strikes hampering the public welfare or challenging state sovereignty.

"During the recent years labor has won many long overdue rights to which they were entitled," he said in his biennial message prepared for a joint session of the legislature soon after it convened.

"The right of employees in private industry to organize and bargain collectively through representatives of their own choosing is recognized by law and should be prevented. But all rights carry with them corresponding responsibilities and duties.

"Labor unions should recognize and live up to these responsibilities, and should be held legally responsible for their contractual obligations. In addition I recommend that legislation be enacted to prevent labor strikes which affect the lives, health or safety of the general public or challenge the sovereignty of the state government."

Refers To Police Union
His reference to preservation of state sovereignty was an obvious reminder of his stand against formation of a union by members of the St. Louis police force, which he said would be an unconstitutional encroachment on state authority.

Coupled with the short labor section in his 20-page address were recommendations for a complete revamping of state eleemosynary institutions and a plea for the legislators to resist efforts of special groups to raid the state's \$30,000,000 postwar reserve fund.

Counting previous appropriations and an expected allotment of \$2,000,000 to finance a new rural road building program enacted once by the last legislature but voided on a technicality—the governor estimated the reserve would amount to \$21,170,499 by next June 30, the end of the fiscal year.

A Sacred Trust
"I recommend that the general assembly resist all efforts to raid this surplus fund," he said. "It should be preserved as a sacred trust against the day of need and the unforeseen emergencies of the future."

Besides urging appropriations for a new state office building in Jefferson City, already authorized, and for a memorial army building in the capital as a tribute to Missouri's war dead, the governor outlined a comprehensive program of rehabilitation for state hospitals.

He said appropriations would be requested in a later budget message for new infirmary buildings at the St. Joseph, Nevada and Farmington hospitals. But first he urged the legislature to make a complete "restudy of the entire hospital situation."

"I believe that drastic changes should be made in the treatment of state hospitals," he declared, "to the end that they cease to be custodial institutions for senile people and that more emphasis be laid on treating those who are mentally ill."

To this end he suggested that the present rate of \$6 a month which counties pay for each patient confined to a state hospital be raised to \$25 "or some amount that will be more in proportion to the actual cost of maintaining a patient in the state hospitals."

The present system, he said, "has resulted in overcrowding the state hospitals and has caused long waiting lists of patients, some of whom are genuine mental cases who might possibly be cured if they could be received and treated in a state hospital." He noted that many senile cases formerly cared for in county homes had been shunted to the state institutions under the \$6 rate—"cheaper than the county itself can support them."

Considering Doctors
At the same time he recommended serious consideration of a plan to free doctors who now serve as superintendents of the institutions from administrative duties by putting the business management of each hospital in the hands of a layman. That would leave the physicians free to give all their time to the patients, he explained.

Tackling the long standing problem of the state's three juvenile training schools, Donnelly recommended a five-fold program which he predicted would achieve great good and would not involve an unreasonable expenditure.

First, he said, the 31 Negro girls now at the Tipton school should be transferred to the Chillicothe training school for girls where housing "can be provided at a cost to the state that will not be excessive."

Next, modernize the Boonville (Please turn to Page 4, Column 1)

Briefs Taken From Speech By Governor

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 8.—(P)—Here are some key sentences from Gov. Phil M. Donnelly's biennial message today to a joint session of the Missouri legislature.

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I recommend that the general assembly resist all efforts to raid this surplus (postwar reserve) fund.

I believe that drastic changes should be made in the operation of our state hospitals to the end that they cease to be custodial institutions for senile people and that more emphasis be laid on treating those who are mentally ill.

It is my conviction that the institutions for the younger boys and the older boys should be separate, and the younger boys completely separated from the influence and contacts of the older boys.

Appropriations for aid to dependent children and general relief for the current fiscal year are not sufficient to meet in full the needs of persons eligible for assistance under these programs and consequently it has been necessary to reduce the monthly grants for such persons to a point far below the amounts determined to be needed on a basis of decency and health.

This state is serving as a dumping ground for diseased animals from border states due to some of the exemptions written into the present statutes.

Adequate funds should be provided by the general assembly to implement rural road building programs.

I believe that the present (drivers' license) law can be so amended that better enforcement will result and that traffic accidents on the highways will be greatly reduced.

If we strive together to promote the interests of Missouri and its citizens, surely we can make the coming months a time of real achievement.

Women Picket Supreme Court

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—(P)—The Supreme Court was picketed today for the first time in its history.

Women bearing signs marked "locked out" marched back and forth before the white marble building.

The signs told of a work stoppage involving 2,200 employees of Government Services, Inc., private operators of 53 cafeterias in government buildings. The Supreme Court cafeteria has been closed since Tuesday. The employees quit work in a demand for higher wages and other concessions.

Police go to See 'Don't Blush, Girls'

WORCESTER, Eng., Jan. 8.—(P)—The show "Don't Blush, Girls" had been running at Worcester's Theatre Royal for eight years, but the police just got around to it this week.

Result: Owner Don Ross was fined \$80 plus \$25.20 costs today because one of the jokes had been submitted to Britain's chief censor, the lord chamberlain, and in one scene the principal actress "displayed a large portion of her thighs."

Trailer Fire Burns Fatal to Young Woman

COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 8.—(P)—Mrs. Harold B. Overstreet, 25, wife of a University of Missouri student, died last night of burns received when her clothing caught fire in a trailer in which the couple lived on the university campus here.

Mrs. Overstreet, formerly Miss Maybelle Bailey of Elmer, Mo., was at one time principal of the Kirksville, Mo., high school. Burial will be at La Plata.

Calling Special Election
JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 8.—(P)—A special election will be held here, probably next month, to decide whether to issue \$200,000 in bonds for two new swimming pools and to levy a permanent tax of two mills for park maintenance.

Lebanon Youth Shot, Killed

LEBANON, Mo., Jan. 8.—(P)—A youth identified by Night Policeman L. W. Campbell as Kenneth A. Ross, 20, was shot and killed early today in what Campbell described as an attempted burglary at the Orin West grocery store.

Campbell said the fatal shot was fired by Herman West, 23-year-old son of the store owner, who sleeps in the rear of the place.

West related Campbell said, that he was awakened about 2 a. m. by the sound of someone tampering with the cash register. He said he saw two men in the store and fired four times. One of the bullets struck Ross in the upper right chest.

The policeman said Peter B. Chastain, 20, Lebanon, was arrested at the scene and turned over to the State Highway Patrol for investigation.

64th General Assembly Is Convened

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 8.—(P)—Missouri's 64th general assembly convened at noon today with traditional pomp and ceremony and as soon as new members were sworn in, both houses moved smoothly into scheduled formal organization.

Senator M. C. Matthes (R) of Hillsboro was reelected president pro tem of the senate while Representative Murray E. Thompson (R) of Webster was chosen house speaker succeeding Rep. Howard Elliott (R) of St. Louis county.

Other officers were named by Republican controlled assembly as outlined in press release caucuses.

In the house, where galleries were jammed with visitors, William R. Clay, Republican from Jackson county second district, notified Speaker Thompson of his intention to contest election of Representative Joseph M. Tanner (D).

Tanner Sworn In
Thompson, however, said procedure was not in proper form and Tanner was sworn in with other members elected last November. Action was taken on Clay's attempted contest which is being litigated in Jackson county circuit court.

Judge Albert M. Clark of state supreme court administered oaths in the house while Judge Lawrence M. Hyde swore in newly elected senators.

Two seats were empty in senate, where the 29th district is vacant because of resignation last night of Milton F. Napier (R), elected last November for full four years term in new second district, and Senator Frank M. Frisby (R) of Bethany was absent.

Several Negroes Present
In the house 150 of 154 members were present. Absent were Rep. C. Vern Peak (R), Bates county; V. Earl Cox (D), Linn county; W. E. Stevens (D) Shannon county, and George M. Babin (R), St. Louis.

About 50 Negroes were among house galleries, on hand to watch four members of their race seated as representatives. Four Negro lawmakers are Reps. James McKinley Neal (D) Jackson county; Josiah C. Thomas (R), William Massingale (D), and J. Clayburn Bush (R), all of St. Louis.

As soon as preliminary organization was completed, both houses recessed to await governor's message at 3 p. m.

Bothwell Hospital Notes
Robert C. Parkhurst, 830 North Engineer and Mrs. Nancy Deuschle, 309 East Seventh street, admitted for medical treatment.

Earl Paul, 301 West Fourth street; Edith Lee Curtis, Beaman and Mrs. Hubert Fry and daughter, Route 2, LaMonte, dismissed.

Mrs. Pauline Katelman of La Monte and Mrs. Delbert Meinday of Smithton were dismissed.

R. M. Brownfield, Green Ridge, admitted for surgery.

Mrs. Charles E. Garvin, Route 1, Smithton; Mrs. S. F. Hart, 659 East Fifteenth street; Mrs. Russell E. Darling and daughter, 1201 South Montgomery; Mrs. Albert Butterbaugh, 1612 South Park avenue and Mrs. Nelson Ehlers, Cole Camp.

Aged Retired Minister Dies
BARBOURVILLE, Ky., Jan. 8.—(P)—The Rev. John L. Reeves, 101 years old and one of the oldest residents of the state, died today at the home of a granddaughter here.

He was a retired Baptist minister and has been active until recent weeks.

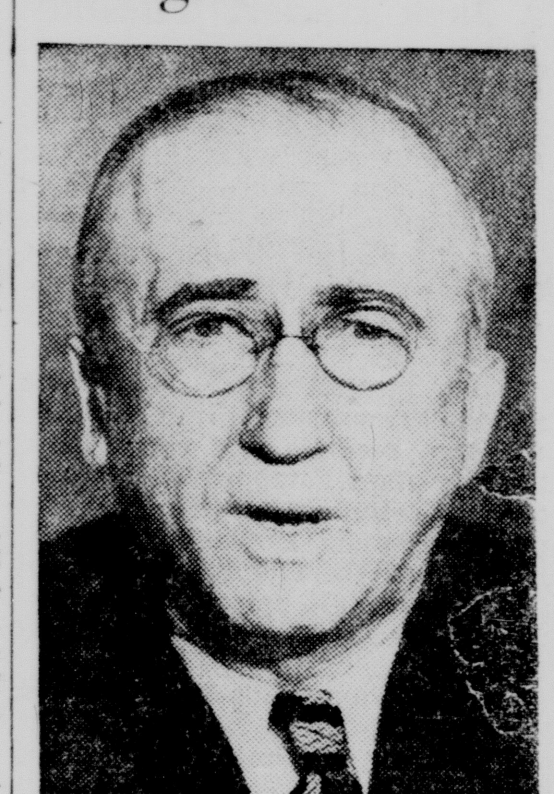
The Weather

Central Missouri: Generally fair with little change in temperature tonight and Thursday. Lowest tonight near 27. Temperature: 7 a. m., 28 degrees; 3 p. m., 42 degrees.

Lake of the Ozarks: 54; fall 2. Sun rise 7:32 a. m. Sun set 5:07 p. m. Full moon January 8; last quarter moon January 13.

Thought for Today
Extreme justice is extreme injustice.—Cicero.

Resigns



James F. Byrnes, U. S. A. Secretary of State who is retiring from President's Cabinet.

Highlights In Career of Jas. F. Byrnes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—(P)—Highlights in the career of James F. Byrnes:

Born: May 2, 1879, at Charleston, S. C.

Began public career at 21 as a court stenographer.

First job: \$2-a-week messenger boy.

Served in all three branches of the government—Representative and senator in congress, U. S. supreme court justice, war-time boss of the nation's economy and homefront mobilization, and finally as Secretary of State.

He might have become President. A leading contender for the Democratic Vice Presidential nomination in 1944, Byrnes withdrew "in deference to the wishes" of President Roosevelt.

Harry S. Truman got the nomination and became President when FDR died less than a year later.

Famed as a "trouble shooter" for Roosevelt, he continued that role under President Truman. A capable and shrewd at the same time, friends always said.

Robbers Who Held up Banks Still at Large

JOPLIN, Mo., Jan. 8.—(P)—A theory that two robbers who held up the Diamond and Sarcoxis banks yesterday morning and slipped through highway blockades thrown up by the state highway patrol, escaped by heading south on highway 97 east of Sarcoxis and possibly fleeing into Arkansas or Oklahoma, was advanced today by investigators.

Highway troopers learned that a black car of the general description of the bank robbers was seen traveling south on highway 97 toward Pierce City at a high rate of speed following the Sarcoxis robbery. It appeared to be the only reliable report on the route the bandits took in their flight, Joplin officers were advised.

May Have Been Fugitives
One theory advanced here was that the bank bandits may have been Tulsa, Okla., fugitives, two desperadoes of a similar description given of the bank robbers escaped from jail there last week and both were known to have been armed.

Acknowledging that the bandits had eluded the largest force of officers to take part in a manhunt in southwest Missouri in years, state patrol and FBI investigators turned their attention today to re-checking descriptions and photographs of the known criminals.

"It looks like they got out of the state," said Col. Hugh H. Waggoner, superintendent of the state patrol, who dispatched 20 cars to the scene yesterday. He said Kansas, Arkansas and Oklahoma officers had been alerted.

The bandits, both in their 20s, took \$200 from the Bank of Diamond about 9 a. m. and about two and one-half hours later took \$2,281 from the First National Bank of Sarcoxis, 19 miles from Diamond by highway.

All-Girl Assembly
There will be an all-girl assembly at Smith-Cotton High school Thursday afternoon, at three o'clock. Miss Betsy Worrell, of the Speech department faculty at William Woods college in Fulton, will be the speaker. Mothers of all Smith-Cotton High school girls are invited to hear Miss Worrell speak.

VAN BUREN, Mo., Jan. 8.—(P)—For the first time in history Carter county has no prosecuting attorney and the taxpayers are wondering what will happen if someone gets in dutch with the law.

Not only is the county without services of a prosecutor, but there are only two lawyers in the county and both have jobs.

Henri Sursi, who came here a few years ago from Corning, Ark. and was elected as prosecuting attorney last November, has moved away. He doesn't want the job.

John Moore, another lawyer, was elected magistrate and

America Needs Lower Prices; Marshall Successor to Byrnes

Resignation of Secretary of State Came Suddenly; Byrnes Health Bad

By John M. Hightower
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—(P)—James F. Byrnes' resignation as secretary of state was announced suddenly last night and five-star General George C. Marshall was designated as his successor.

It had been known that Byrnes' health was not too good but the White House disclosure that he was leaving the cabinet came with so little advance talk that it was a shock to many officials concerned with foreign affairs.

Byrnes asked that the resignation be effective Friday, but agreed to continue in the post until his successor qualified.

Marshall, who has been Mr. Truman's special envoy to China, is on his way here by air. His selection must be approved by the senate before he can take office.

No break or shift in foreign policy is expected from the change.

Both diplomatic and congressional leaders agreed that Marshall will "carry on" with the task of constructing world peace which Byrnes leaves off.

In Line for Presidency
Hence capital interest in his future policies was equalled if not exceeded by the fact that as secretary of state the five-star general will become first in line for succession to the presidency and—whether he likes it or not—a leading figure among the 1948 Democratic presidential possibilities.

Democratic and Republican members of congress alike lauded Marshall's selection, tempering their comment only with regret at Byrnes' departure.

Chairman Vandenberg (Rep-Mich) of the senate foreign relations committee called Byrnes' resignation a "major loss" but declared Marshall "is rich in useful experience. I wish him well in his great responsibility."

Senator Wagner (D-NY), a member of the foreign relations committee, declared that "Marshall will be a very capable successor, but it will be difficult to replace Jimmy Byrnes."

No Change in Policy
Senator Connally (D-Tex) former chairman of the committee, declared there will be no change in policy under Marshall, adding "the people are in agreement with Byrnes' policy."

At 66, Marshall is stepping into one of his most difficult and critical tasks. As army chief of staff he did much to design the strategy of allied victory. As secretary of state he will have possibly a greater responsibility—that of working with the foreign ministers of other major powers to complete the structure of peace.

Byrnes, only a little more than a year older than Marshall, attributed his resignation to doctor's orders.

House Veterans to Organize
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—(P)—House veterans of World War II have been called to organize on Monday "for concerted action" on ex-GI legislation.

Rep. Preston (D-Ga) announced today the organization plans of the 62 veterans in the new congress.

Triple Trouble
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 8.—(P)—Gene Brumley bought a new automobile last spring.

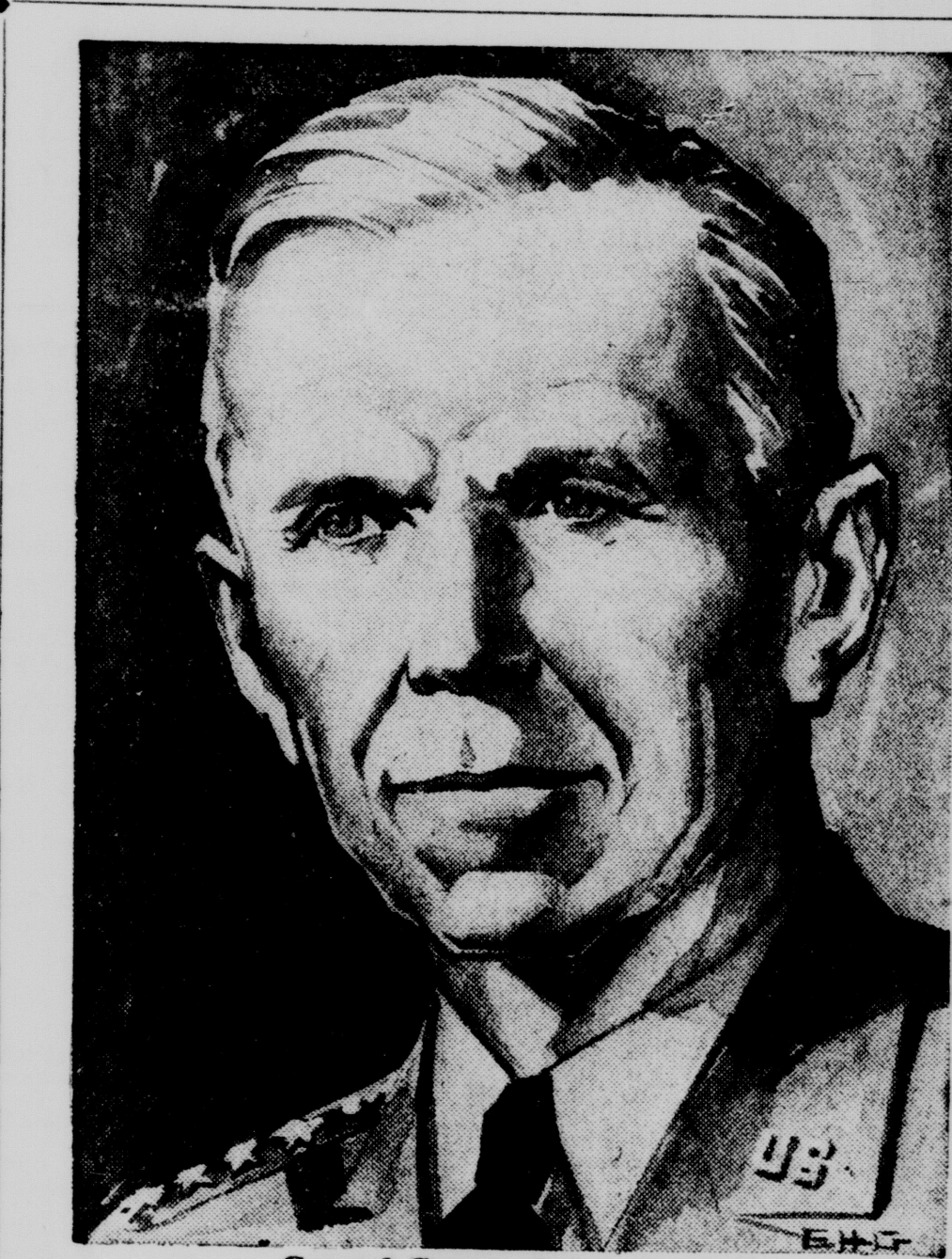
He lent it to a relative and the car was wrecked in an accident.

He had the car repaired and four days later his garage burned.

He had the car repaired again and somebody stole it.

Yesterday he got word it had been recovered in another county and was being held for him.

But he's not going after it until the ice gets off the highways. Not THAT car.



General George Catlett Marshall

Highlights in Marshall's Career

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—(P)—Highlights in the career of Gen. George C. Marshall, chosen to be the new secretary of state:

Born: Dec. 31, 1880, at Uniontown, Pa.

Decided on army career when he saw the 10th Pennsylvania Regiment, back from the Spanish-American War, triumphantly parade through his hometown streets.

Graduated 15th in class of 34 at Virginia Military Institute, but won fame as a football tackle.

Commissioned in regular army in 1901. As a second lieutenant, was sent in May 1902 to help put down the Philippine insurrection.

In World War I, he went to France in a minor role and 11 months later became operations chief of the First Army, planning the secret movement of 820,000 officers and men for the great Meuse-Argonne offensive.

Chosen aide-de-camp to Gen. John J. Pershing in 1920; he served four years in Washington, then a three-year hitch in China and in 1927 became an instructor in the Army War College.

Became chief of staff the day Germany invaded Poland, Sept. 1, 1939, selected by President Roosevelt over other officers with much longer service.

Organized an army of 1,500,000 within a year after the fall of France, and when America was finally plunged into the war he insisted that Germany could only be defeated in the west.

Despite his "desk job" in Washington, Marshall is generally credited with being America's foremost soldier in the war against the Axis, and with creating the modern army.

The war ended, Marshall went to China as President Truman's personal envoy in December, 1945, in an effort to unite opposing factions in that war-torn land.

Comment on Truman Talk
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—(P)—President Truman's economic report drew quick criticism from some congressmen today, but others gave it general praise.

First fire centered on his recommendations that rent controls be extended and his tariff-lowering power renewed.

Senator Wheeler of Nebraska, assistant Republican leader, called the report "just a campaign statement." Hitting at the rent recommendation, he told a reporter "the quicker we get rid of all of these controls, the more houses we'll get built."

As for reciprocal trade, the Nebraska said "I don't think any tariff rates ought to be cut until congress reviews the situation and decides if such action is justified."

Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.), said "President Truman has laid down a policy for the preservation of the capitalistic system" and declared the report "should be required reading in every college and high school of the United States."

O'Mahoney lauded particularly the report's finding that public works alone cannot solve unemployment and that business should reduce prices wherever possible.

As for Mr. Truman's advice against tax reductions at this time, Sen. Bushfield (R-SD.) commented that "it is more important that we cut down government expenditures than that we reduce taxes now."

Wheel Chair Trip To Warm Springs, Ga.
WARM SPRINGS, Ga., Jan. 8.—(P)—Wesley Enquist, 26-year-old infantile paralysis victim, ended a wheel chair trip from Freemont, Neb., to the infantile paralysis foundation here last night.

Enquist was given a place to sleep overnight, but was not admitted to the hospital. He started the trip in August. He wheeled himself part way, hitched truck rides for the remainder of the distance.

Lions Hear of GI Problems
Veterans of World War II problems were discussed at the Sedalia Lions club, this noon, by W. F. Fidler, local Veterans Administration representative and Dr. E. L. Rhodes. This discussion was on medical attention for veterans, also on filing claim for service disabilities.

The discussion ended with members asking the two speakers various questions regarding the veterans' benefits.

William Davis, program chairman, introduced the speakers.

A report on the Christmas party for Sedalia children was given by the committee in charge.

A guest at today's meeting was George Whitehouse, Dover, New Hampshire, a "free lance" photographer, guest of Johnny Erickson.

Father William P. Stack, president, presided over the meeting.

Nine Fliers Still Missing
ABOARD THE U.S.S. MT. OLYMPUS, Jan. 8.—(P)—A third search flight has failed to turn up any sign of the nine fliers missing for 10 days from the navy's antarctic expedition.

President Tells Congress, Adding Labor Should Not Press Wage Demands

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—(P)—President Truman told Congress today that for greater prosperity America needs lower prices and labor ought not to press wage demands which will keep them from dropping.

He sent the legislators a message in which he also said that for the nation's economic health they should

(a) continue taxes at present wartime levels, (b) extend rent controls, (c) increase Social Security benefits, (d) boost minimum wages, (e) extend the wage-hour law to new groups, (f) start a long-range housing program and (g) enact new labor laws.

Mr. Truman's message was his first economic report under the employment act of 1946. That law requires that he and his economic advisers send congress a report early in each year on prospective business and employment conditions in the following 12 months.

The main points he emphasized to the Republican-held, economy minded congress were these:

Should Produce More
The country should produce 5 percent more goods this year than last and keep employment at its record-breaking level.

But the purchasing power of the people may not support those goals unless wage and price adjustments are quickly made.

A major approach "must be through reduced prices."

Rent ceilings should remain beyond mid-1947, because "a large increase in rents would substantially reduce consumer purchasing power."

"Business can and should reduce prices wherever possible in order to bring about the necessary increase in consumer purchasing power to bolster markets."

Wage changes also are necessary and management must recognize that greater productivity in some cases will permit bigger pay checks as well as lower price tags; also that pay should go up where it has lagged behind living costs or where wage rates are sub-standard.

Refrain From Demands
But labor "should refrain from demands for excessive wage increases that would require price increases or prevent price reductions."

"Wage adjustments, like price adjustments," Mr. Truman declared, "need to be made with a discriminating regard for individual situations throughout the economy."

In effect, that appeared to be clear notice that the White House has swung away from the support it was giving a year ago for general, industry-wide patterns of wage boosts.

It came at a time when the issue has again been brought to the fore by the CIO's recent "guidepost" report prepared by Economist Robert R. Nathan. The Nathan report contended that average industry profits are large enough to permit a 21 to 25 percent wage increase. Business spokesmen have countered that profits vary so widely from firm to firm such broad assumptions are void.

High Optimism
Mr. Truman's long economic report, based on recommendations of his council of economic advisers headed by Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, opened on a note of high optimism.

"As the year 1947 opens America has never been so strong or so prosperous. Nor have our prospects ever been brighter."

It went on: "I reject, and I know the American people reject, the notion that we must have another depression. I am not referring to minor detours and bumps in the road ahead—these we know we shall have."

Taxes should be kept at present levels, Mr. Truman said, because in periods when "employment is high and the total income is large," the rule of sound public finance "calls for surplus in government revenues over expenditures."

Conceding that the tax burden is great and should be lightened "as soon as possible," he cautioned that when cuts are made they should be distributed fairly so as to lighten the load on the mass of consumers while also giving business the profit incentive "essential for a high level of production."

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S-C Tigers Trim Jeff City Jays 36 to 22

Egbert, Center, Is The High Pointer For Sedalia

The Smith-Cotton Tigers defeated the Jefferson City Jays at Jeff City by a score of 36 to 22. The game was tight throughout but the Sedalia boys played some good ball such as they have shown during the past they are capable of doing.

During the first half the Sedalia boys just couldn't find the range of the basket, but in the second half they came back and really cleaned up. Both teams displayed fine sportsmanship.

In the first quarter the score was Jeff City 11, Sedalia 6. The second quarter rolled around and the Jays had 13, while the boys from Sedalia trailed by one point. During the third stanza the Tigers began to pick up extra points and took a 22 to 18 lead over their opponents. The Bengals then finished their job by claiming their 36 to 22 win over the Jays of Jeff City.

Egbert took high point honors with five baskets and two free throws to total twelve points. For the Jays Gibson acted as high pointer with seven to his credit.

Sedalia "B" Team Loses

The Jefferson City "B" team defeated the Sedalia "B" 29 to 25 in a game which preceded the varsity "A" game. Twenty-four players made the trip in the school bus accompanied by the coaches and several members of the Smith Cotton faculty.

The box score:

SEDALIA	FG	FT	Pts.
Thomas, F.	4	1	9
Brown, F.	1	0	2
Egbert, C.	5	2	12
Miller, G.	2	0	4
Bergman, G.	0	2	0
Waters, G.	0	2	0
Totals	14	5	26

JEFFERSON CITY	FG	FT	Pts.
Brown, F.	0	0	0
Byrd, F.	0	0	0
Winter, F.	2	0	4
Harrison, G.	0	0	0
Gibson, G.	1	3	7
Serguson, J.	1	3	5
Totals	4	6	16

Substitutions: Walker, Sedalia.
Referee: Jack Mathews, University of Missouri.

In Travancore, a state in India, women are the heirs of property and the guardians of the family pocketbook.

Drawing Cards

"You pushed—you bully!"

Versailles Defeats Stover 56 to 42

Versailles high school last week defeated Stover in a 56 to 42 contest. Garrison sparked the Versailles aggregation in both defense and offense playing and tallied 21 of the 36 points. Kraxberger, Stover led his team in scoring with 12 points.

Heinman, scored 14 points for Versailles.

Versailles made good sixteen of 20 free throw tries.

Both teams are entered in the California tournament.

Fights Tuesday Night

By The Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Fitzie Fitzpatrick, 161, Los Angeles, T. K. O. Pat Valentino, 17, San Francisco, 5.

SEATTLE — Mal Hostak, 163, Seattle, T. K. O. Benny Droll, 138, Peoria, 2.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. — Jimmie Carl, 155, San Antonio, T. K. O. Baby Yucatan, 150, Mexico City, 4.

HOUSTON, Tex. — Tony Elizondo, 165, Houston, T. K. O. Alex Arella, 160, Pittsburgh, 6.

KANSAS CITY, Kas. — Eddie O'Neil, 151, Detroit, outpointed Roy Miller, 159, Kansas City, 10.

PITTSBURGH — Steve Belloise, 155½, New York, outpointed Osele "Bulldog" Harris, 163½, Pittsburgh, 10.

U. S. HOCKEY LEAGUE

By The Associated Press

Results Tuesday Night

Minneapolis 7, Omaha 3.

Houston 4, Fort Worth 3.

Games Tonight

Omaha at Minneapolis.

St. Paul at Houston.

Fort Worth at Houston.

Brown Whips Esteppe Two Straight Falls

Newman Uses A New Hold To Win Over Jack Hader, Tuesday

Orville Brown, Wallace, Kansas, claimant to the heavyweight title, proved out just what local fans thought, too much—for Marshal Esteppe, of Sturgeon, Mo., Brown took two straight falls but it wasn't any easy task for the big fellow to whip his lighter weight opponent.

Using headlocks in the first period, Brown won in 19 minutes and five seconds and came back to body slam Esteppe for the second and winning fall in 14 minutes and 15 seconds. However, Esteppe, nearly had the champion going in the second fall period, but lady-luck overtook him favoring Brown.

Lou Newman, Los Angeles, won his match with Jack Hader, in one of the best matches seen in the local ring in several weeks. Although the crowd was small it filled the Armory with shouts as the two big men battled for victory.

Hader using a step-over toe hold won the first period in 14 minutes while Newman came back in the second to use body slams to win in four minutes.

The third fall was won on a freak hold known as the upside down double leg hold. It took Newman seven minutes and 30 seconds to win.

Opening the card Joe Aldeman of Kansas City, fireman, came through to use monkey flips and body smother to beat Gene Reardon of Topeka, Kansas. It took 23 minutes for the fall.

Next Tuesday night, the Swedish Angel comes back to Sedalia to match with Lou Newman in the main event. It will be the time in months Newman has met the Angel and this time he hopes to use his new hold on him.

"Bad Boy" Brown of Polo, Mo., will meet George Becker, Pacific Coast champion of Oakland, California, in the semi-windup event on the card.

The special event will be between Ray Schwartz, handsome Brooklyn New Yorker and Gene Bowman, of Des Moines, Iowa.

M. U. Tigers Win Over K. U. 39-34

LAWRENCE, Kas., Jan. 7.—(P)—The University of Missouri tonight defeated the University of Kansas 39 to 34 in a fierce Big Six conference game, enlivened four minutes from the finish by a heated exchange of words on the court by the coaches, Dr. Forrest C. Allen and Wilbur Stalcup.

This was the first victory for Missouri over Kansas in Lawrence since 1930.

The Tigers, playing a flawless floor game, were leading 35 to 32 as the clock began its final four minutes. Stalcup, Missouri coach, jumped to his feet and demanded what foul had been committed by Lorraine Smith, Tiger guard, who was waved out of the game on his fifth infraction.

Instantly Allen, Kansas mentor, ran across the court and pushed Stalcup.

"Get off the court," Allen shouted. The Missouri team pulled Stalcup away, and he yelled back at Allen: "Get back on your side of the court."

Missouri dominated the play completely, holding a 27-21 lead at the half. Kansas came back in the final period and knotted the count at 31-all, but Missouri surged ahead again and stayed in front.

Dan Pippin, Missouri, forward, led scoring with 17 points. It was the first conference defeat for Kansas since 1945.

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—(P)—More facts and figures from the football coaches meeting (which can match a baseball session in lobby-standing and talking).

Yanderbilt's Red Sanders is flying to Waco today to talk over the Baylor job, which had several candidates dodging because the original bid didn't permit a coach to name his own assistants.

Ed McKeever, whose name has figured in all the talk about open openings, says he has three possibilities on the fire (including San Francisco U.) and should know what's what by the end of this week.

Larry (Pappy) Waldorf has been talking things over with California representative. So has ex-Michigan State Coach Charley Bachman and possibly Missouri's Don Faurot.

Sound Advice

When his Syracuse U. boxing team was in New Orleans for the Sugar Bowl mat meet, Coach Roy Simmons was approached by a curious young fan. "There's one thing I've always wanted to know," she said. "What do you tell the boys when they whisper to them between the rounds?"

Replied Simmons: "I always tell them three things: keep your left out; keep your chin in and keep your pants off the deck."

Shorts and Shells

Tad Wieman, newly-elected president of the Football Coaches' Association, is dean of men and director of athletics at the U. of Maine—but not football coach.

Artie Dorell, former professional pug, has been picked to play the role of challenger in John Garfield's new picture. "You know I don't want to," he asked Artie. Working under a bonus agreement, Billy Evans collected \$22,000 as president of the Southern Association last season. And one reason why prospective presidential candidates are shying off is that the S. A. wants to reduce that figure considerably.

Johnny Mill, Hofstra College basketball, has his 982 points in 56 games during his college career and hopes to hit the 1,000 mark against Adelphi tonight.

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Community News From Otterville

Miss Cora Cordry

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Watring of Harrisonville announce the birth of a son January 3, weighing 8½ pounds. They named him Billy Lee. Mrs. Watring is the former Miss Katherine Burford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mendenhall of Guide Rock, Neb., visited friends here recently. They were members of the high school staff here last year.

Captain and Mrs. Charles Goetz, who are stationed at Murphreeville, Tenn., recently visited Captain Goetz' mother, Mrs. Laum Goetz, and Mrs. Goetz' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Zimmerscheid.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Moore had as guests recently Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. McBroom of Latham, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Henderson and daughters, Dixie and Kay, of Russellville.

Cynthia Faye, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Schib, who has been ill, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Blakesley had as guests recently her sister, Mrs. Bill Straud, Mr. Straud and children, Marlyn and Ronnie, of Kansas City, Kan.

Lawrence Bottoms has moved his repair shop from the building owned by T. R. Blakesley and has rented a building close to the White Eagle station. Eugene Dieffendorf will occupy the building of T. R. Blakesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Morris of Sedalia have bought the Glen Nelson farm southeast of town. Mrs. Morris is the former Miss Edna Mae Deuschle.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Otten and daughter, Miss Marjorie Speaker of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Conrad and baby, and Fred Speaker were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Speaker.

Glen Nelson, J. H. Gunn and Jesse Parson went to Columbia Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. Nelson's uncle, W. L. Nelson.

Junior Weat, who has been employed at Unionville, has returned to his home here.

Mrs. Ethel Layne will leave Thursday for California for a three months visit with relatives. She will visit in Oakland, Berkeley, Fresno, Long Beach, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Santa Ana.

Mrs. Ida Gentry, who has been quite ill, is improved.

Mrs. Bettie Henderson and daughter, Miss Hattie and son, George, of Sedalia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McIntyre.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Blakesley spent Sunday in Lansing, Kas., with his brother, C. W. Blakesley. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Blakesley's niece and nephew, Marylu and Ronnie Straud, of Kansas City, Kas.

Glen Nelson has bought the stock of groceries and feed in the building owned by C. A. Evans, operated by Arthur Broderson.

Mrs. Dollie Griffin has sold her residence to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Castle. Mrs. Griffin will make her home with her brother-in-law, T. E. Wherley.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Blakesley and children were guests Sunday of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Straud, in Kansas City, Kas.

Mrs. John Burford has gone to

Babe Ruth's Condition Reported "Satisfactory"

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—(P)—With his condition reported as continuing "satisfactory," Babe Ruth appeared early today to be winning his fight for life at French hospital.

Ruth, idol of millions of baseball fans, underwent a serious two-hour neck operation Monday "for the relief of intractable (uncontrollable) pain."

Harrisonville to visit her new grandson, Billy Lee Watring.

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Article No. 6
1947 Income Tax Primer

Schedule B, page 3
RENTED ROOM

During 36 weeks of 1946 we rented one of the six rooms in our house. Total rental, shown in Column 2, Schedule B, was \$144. Expenses of operating our home were as follows:

Rent	\$540.00
Heat	94.80
Lights	32.43
Telephone	30.00
Maid Service (hired)	166.40
Repairs and Maintenance	21.27
Water charges	12.00
Insurance on Furnishings	8.00
Total expenses	\$904.90

One-sixth of above expenses amount to \$150.82 attributable to this room for entire year. 36/52 of \$150.82 equals \$104.41 charged in Column 5 against the rents received.

While Sara was away at school, Mrs. Doe rented her room for 36 weeks at \$4. a week, receiving \$144 in all. This room's share of household expense, was \$150.82 for the year. But because Sara used it while at home only 36/52 of that \$150.82, or \$104.41, can be charged off against income. This leaves a taxable profit of \$39.59.

Income, total deductible expense and taxable profit are shown in Schedule B, (below) with a note calling attention to the attached explanation.

If this room had been set aside for continuous rental, and not used by the family when vacant, the Does could have charged off the entire \$150.82, even though the room was vacant 16 weeks—in which case they would have had a net loss of \$6.82 against their taxable income.

Schedule B.—INCOME FROM RENTS AND ROYALTIES

1. Kind of property	2. Amount of rent or royalty	3. Depreciation or depletion (explain in Schedule F)	4. Repairs (explain in Schedule F)	5. Other expenses (explain in Schedule F)
Room in our house	\$144.00			
SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE				
Net profit (or loss) (col. 2 less sum of cols. 3, 4, and 5)	\$144.00			\$104.41
				\$39.59

By S. Burton Heath
NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON (NEA)—Item 5 of Your Income includes everything that comes from sources listed in Group B of the Taxable Income check list with the first article—every bit of taxable income except compensation for personal services, dividends and interest.

Therefore this item has to be assembled on page 2, in schedules A to G, inclusive. If you had no such income you can skip this article.

Because rents and royalties require an article to themselves they will be discussed today, and Annuities, which come first in the blank, will be left for tomorrow's cleanup.

You must report profit on any rental during 1946, whether an entire building leased all year or a spare room rented for a few nights. But you can deduct expenses connected with the rental property, and if those cause a loss you can claim it.

Schedule B is provided to help you figure profit or loss. Most details go into Schedule G. If you own the building or provide furnishings, they can be depreciated in Schedule F.

These schedules seem complicated to most laymen. The collector will have no objection if you find it easier to figure on plain paper and attach it to the return, provided you give all information asked in the schedule and, in the end, show your profit or loss in the right-hand column on page 2.

In the first column show the kind of property—"brick house," "frame garage," "one room in home." In the second column show the gross rental you received. In the third column show depreciation, figured in Schedule F.

In computing depreciation exclude the value of land, and consider only that portion of the building that is for rent. Depreciation rates depend upon many factors. In general an apartment building and its equipment are allowed from 2 1/2 to 3 per cent depreciation rate (40 to 33 years life); a dwelling and equipment from 2 to 3 per cent (50 to 33 years life); farm buildings from 2 to 2 1/2 per cent (50 to 40 years life). Most collectors will allow 10 per cent overall on home furnishings.

The fourth column is for repairs. Do not include expansion or permanent improvement, which can only be depreciated, but do include redecoration. Give details in Schedule G below.

The fifth column is the catch-all for other deductible expenses, to be itemized in Schedule G. In it you can charge actual expendi-

Rents and Royalties
Must be Reported
As Income

this article should help to clarify the principles involved.

You are entitled to charge off the deductions on a building, or even a room, that you own or have rented for the purpose of sub-renting for a profit, even though you did not succeed in renting it—as in an extreme case—at all. But if you use the space when it is not rented, even though you do not really need it and did not acquire it for your own use, you can charge its expenses only for the period during which it was rented.

Royalties
Royalties are treated much like rent in the same Schedule B. The cost (Schedule F, column 3) is what you spent creating the book, play, song, invention or what not. You can not usually charge off all this cost in one year. Ordinarily it must be written off, as depreciation, during the lifetime of the copyright or patent. If you can show that the article's salable lifetime will be brief, the depreciation rate may be stepped up accordingly.

Near the Arctic Circle there are times when the moon actually rises earlier than on the preceding night.

There were more than 100,000 miles of international boundaries throughout the world at the outbreak of World War II.

To Work For More
Pay For Teachers

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 8—(AP)—The Missouri Congress of Parents and Teachers has gone on record as resolving to work for a \$2,400 minimum and \$5,000 maximum salary for teachers, Mrs. Frank B. Leitz, president of the Kansas City council of parents and teachers was informed Tuesday. The national council already has endorsed the teacher minimum-maximum.

Negro Burned To Death

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 8—(AP)—At Alonzo Proctor, 4-month-old Negro, was burned to death Tuesday when a fire destroyed a one-room tarpaper-roofed shack. Three other children escaped. The fire was caused by an overheated tin stove.

Good Will Christian
Service Groups To Meet

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Good Will chapel will meet at the home of Mrs. E. C. Stevens, Thursday, January 9th. It will be an all day meeting, and a covered dish luncheon, contributed by the members, will be served.

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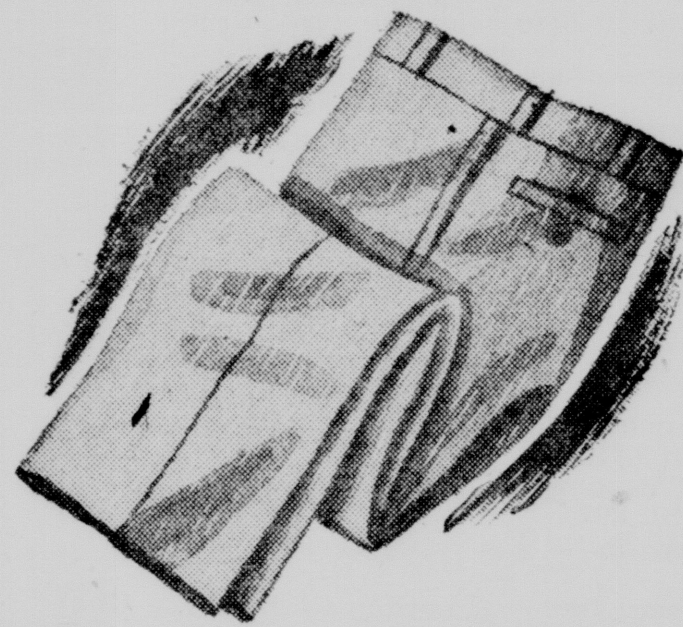


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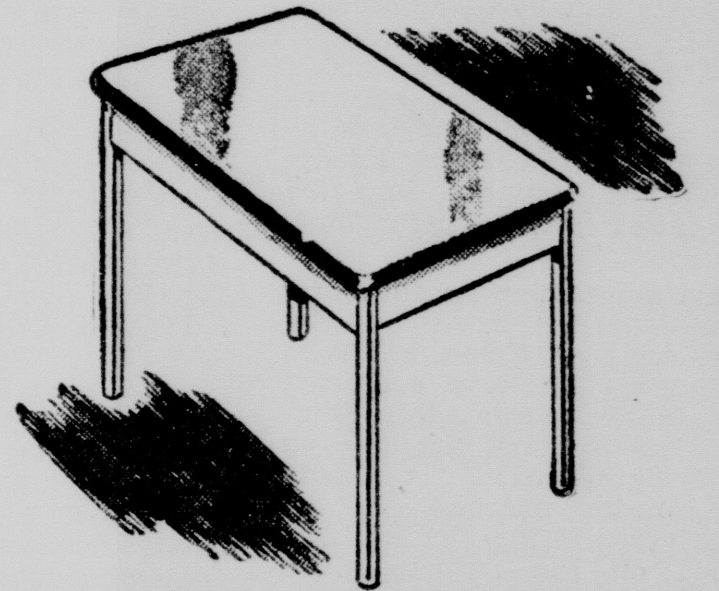
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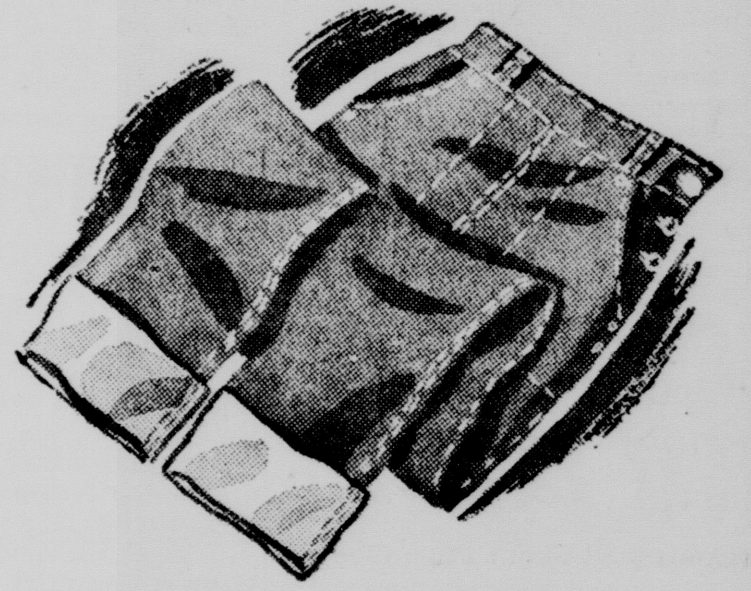
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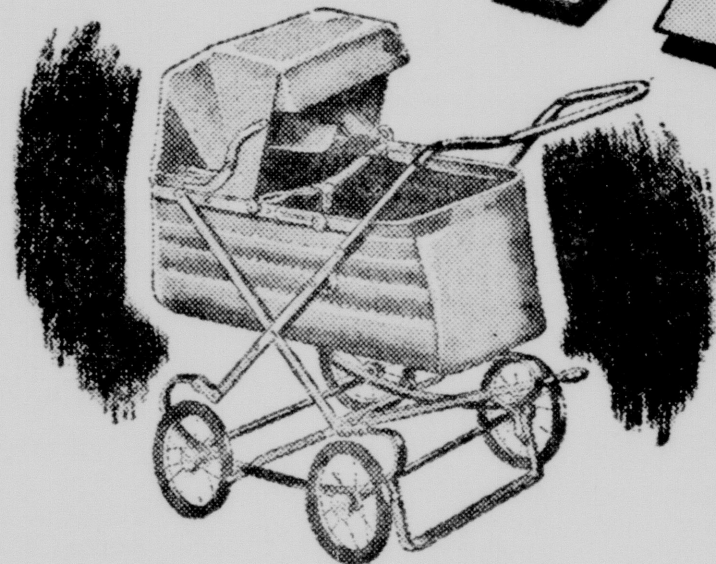
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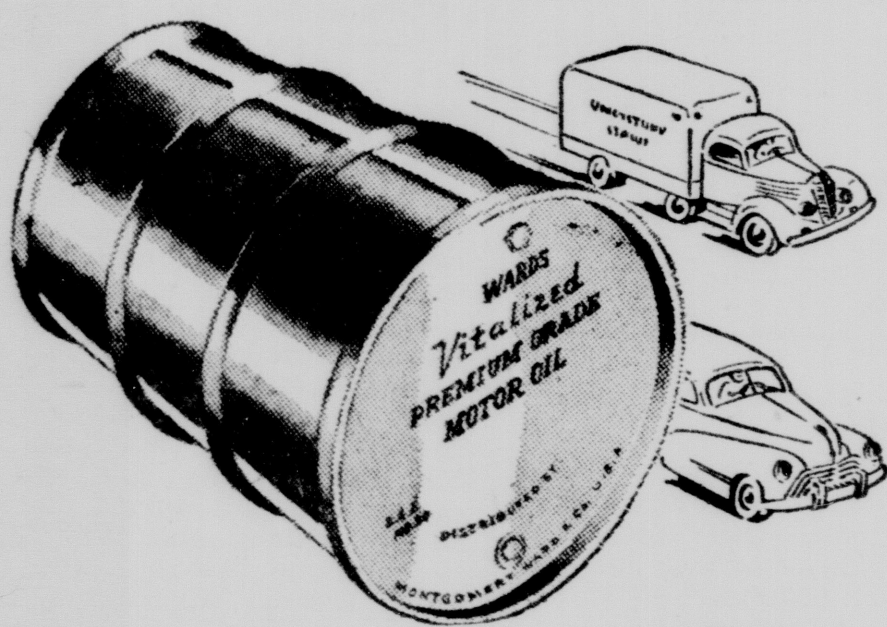
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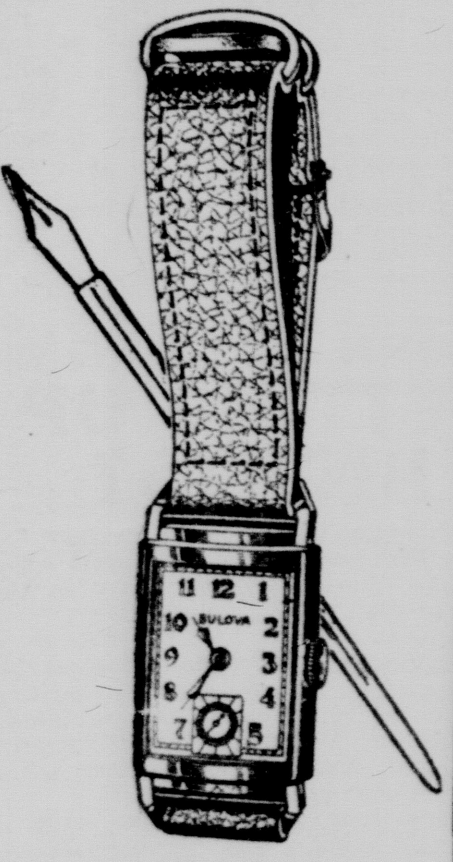
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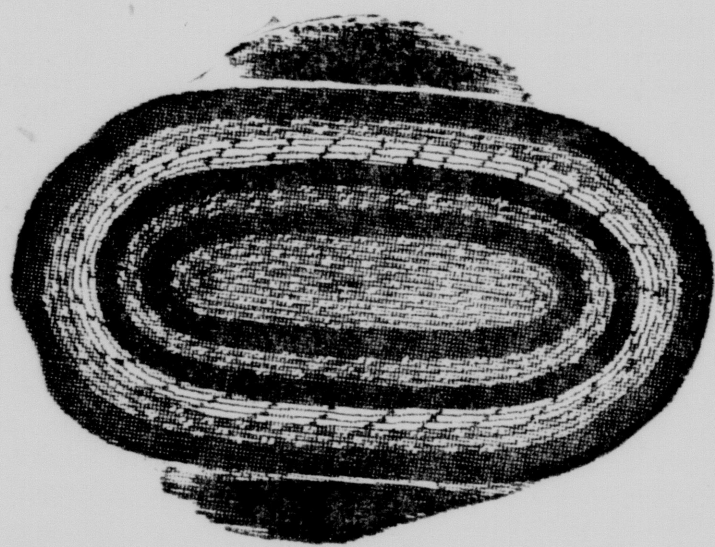
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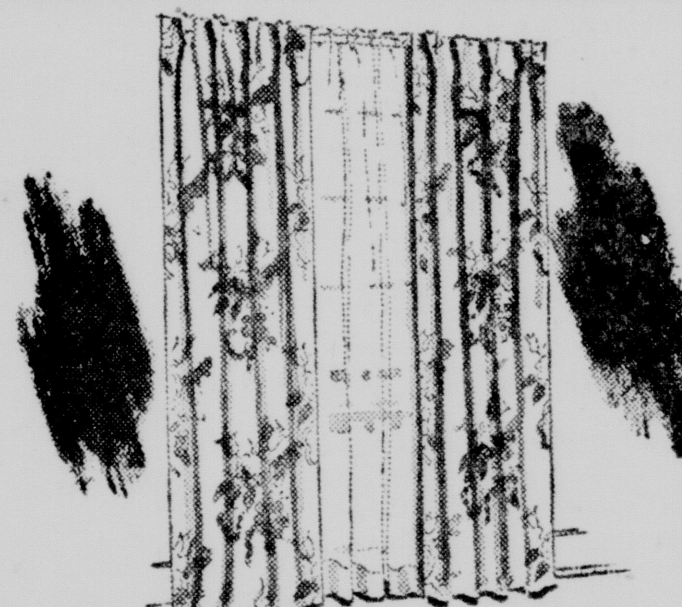
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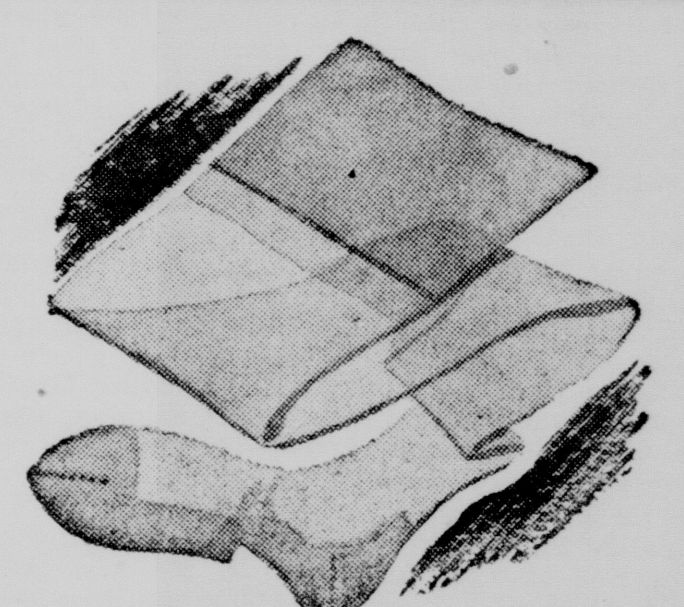
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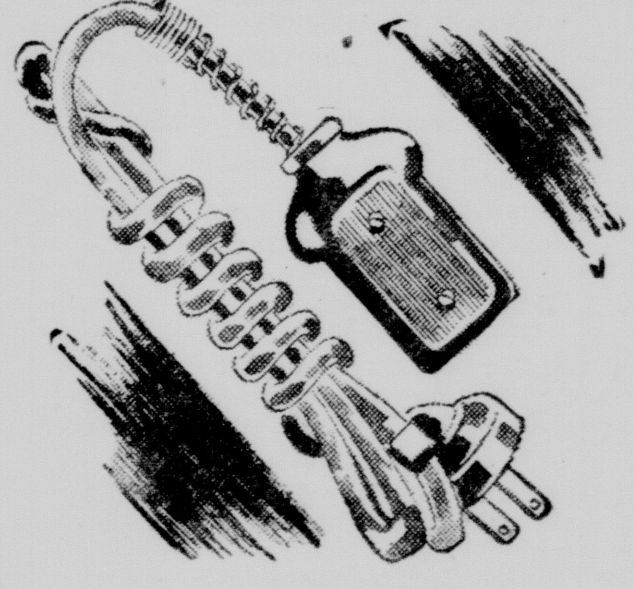
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Alvin J. Paris Trial to an Abrupt End

Paris' Counsel Calls Two Witnesses 'Lying Football Players'

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—(P)—The trial of Alvin J. Paris, accused of attempting to bribe two New York Giants football players, neared a quick end today as the defense rested without calling a witness and defense counsel told judge and jury the two Giants stars were "lying football players."

In his summation to the jury, defense counsel John McKim Minton declared Frank Filchock, one of the two, "is a confessed liar." Merle Hapes, the other player whom Paris is charged with trying to bribe, "is a perjurer," Minton asserted.

He referred to the fact Filchock admitted on the witness stand yesterday he had told Mayor O'Dwyer no effort had been made to bribe him before the Dec. 15 championship Giants and Chicago Bears, game, which the Bears won.

Referring to Hapes, Minton said "he shifted his eyes as he testified on the stand (yesterday). Both these men have motives. The motive is to rejuvenate themselves in the sport world."

Minton began his summation after Judge Saul S. Streit had denied a second time a motion to dismiss the indictment.

The state, which completed its case yesterday, had read a purported confession by Paris and brought out testimony from Merle Hapes and Frank Filchock, the Giants backfield players. Another witness, Patrolman Joseph L. Love, told of tapping Paris' telephone since Dec. 3.

Governor Delivers Biennial Message to General Assembly

(Continued From Page One)

training school for boys and use it only for the older juvenile group.

Third, modernize the Tipton institution and transfer younger boys there so they would be "completely separated from the influence and contacts of the older boys."

Fourth, give the state training school director and the governor power to transfer incorrigible older boys from Boonville to the Alcoa intermediate reformatory for young men near Jefferson City.

Fifth, broaden criminal laws to make it a crime to escape from Alcoa or the training schools. Only the penitentiary is covered now but if the law were broadened, "I believe many escapes would not be undertaken."

Turning to a recent tiff with the Federal Department of Labor over operation of the Missouri Employment Service—settled in Washington yesterday—the governor suggested a special fund be allotted to the governor if such emergencies fund now.

Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach withheld \$227,500 of federal funds for Employment Service operations from Nov. 15 until yesterday but Donnelly said an emergency fund would enable the governor to keep state functions operating in the future "in case some department of the federal government should arbitrarily cut off federal funds."

The governor made no specific recommendations for education or veterans' affairs but told the legislature education should be "kept abreast of the times" and present counseling and training programs for veterans should be continued. He did not mention proposals for a veterans' bonus.

On Motor Vehicle Laws
In a section on motor vehicle laws, he suggested that periodic inspection of motor vehicles be required and that applicants for drivers' licenses be forced to pass driving tests.

He noted demands for a more stringent drivers' license law but said, "I believe that the present law can be so amended that better enforcement will result and that traffic accidents on the highways will be greatly reduced."

He also called for stronger livestock quarantine statutes to permit better control of transportation and sale of diseased animals.

"This state is serving as a dumping ground for diseased animals from border exemptions written into the present statutes," he said.

No Tax Changes
No recommendations for tax changes were included in the message. Instead, the governor reported the state "is in a sound financial condition" with a balance of \$14,679,572 expected in the treasury June 30 when all commitments are met.

He said the Budget Department

Just Town Talk

EVERYBODY CAN'T KNOW EVERYTHING AND SOMETIMES HE WHO LAUGHS LAST LAUGHS BEST IS THE OPINION OF A TEEN-AGER LAUGHED AT BY SOME OF HER BOY FRIENDS.

THE OTHER DAY WHEN SHE TOLD OF SOMEONE SENDING HER FAMILY SOME VENISON MEAT AND ASKED THE BOYS IF THEY HAD EVER SHOT A VENISON NOW SHE'S WAITING HER CHANCE TO GET EVEN I THANK YOU

estimated total state revenue for the 1947-48 biennium at \$103,316,344. Tentatively, he said, he had approved a budget of \$101,892,916. It will be submitted in a separate message.

Discussing special problems, the governor recommended Missouri's laws be changed to permit the state to qualify for federal aid to the blind, so that on a \$45 grant the federal government would pay \$25 and the state's share would be \$20.

Additional funds are needed, too, he said, to administer the state welfare program because of changes in federal laws.

Increases were urged for aid to dependent children and general relief allotments. Insufficient appropriations last year forced the grants to be cut "far below the amounts x x x needed on a basis of decency and health," he said.

PERSONALS

Howard Roe, of Kansas City, formerly of Sedalia, spent a few hours here Tuesday afternoon, on his way home from Georgia, where he visited his son, who is in camp there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce W. Richey and daughters, Dorothy and Kathryn, Route 3, Sedalia; C. F. Hert, 316 West Eleventh street, and Mrs. Harold Langrill returned Monday from a vacation trip in Detroit, Mich.

Pfc. Joe Meyer, USMC, left Tuesday for the U. S. Naval Air Station at Memphis, Tenn., where he is stationed with a Marine air detachment, after spending a ten day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Meyer.

Mrs. Nina Fall, 720 South Massachusetts avenue, went to Jefferson City Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Mary Evans, who is a patient at St. Mary's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, Palisade City, Colo., who visited with his brother, Dr. F. I. Lawrence, and family, 1600 West Sixteenth street, over night, left today.

Victor Santillo, Melrose, Mass., was in Sedalia today on business.

I. E. Kades, Plymouth, Mich., was in Sedalia today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Williams have returned to their home in Dallas, Texas, after spending two weeks with his sister, Mrs. Luther Landis, and Mr. Landis, Route 3, Sedalia.

Sam Alpert, 506 West Fourth street, and Ray Christian, 1731 East Sixth street, went to St. Louis today to enter the Missouri Pacific hospital there for a physical check up.

S. C. Orval Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Henderson, 1411 South Quincy avenue, who has been home on leave, left today for the Naval Air Station at Memphis, Tenn., where he will attend R3D Line Maintenance school.

John H. Perkins, Chillicothe, O., and Robert A. Perkins, Chicago, Ill., left today for their respective homes, after attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Mary Jane Perkins, last Monday. They also visited their sister, Miss Bessie Perkins, 622 East Tenth street.

Mrs. J. C. Connor, 414 East Seventh street, is spending the day in Jefferson City visiting with Mrs. Pat Darnell.

Dr. and Mrs. E. O. Hudson and son, Lynn, 115 East Fourth street, have returned home from Creston and other places in Iowa where they have been spending the holidays.

Miss Mina Deal returned to St. Louis Sunday after spending the week end with relatives in Sedalia.

Major and Mrs. A. S. Harwell, Austin, Tex., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Abney, 41 North Prospect avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Meyer, 1306 East Seventh street, went to Kansas City today to attend the marriage of their grandson, Gene Meyer. They were accompanied by Mrs. Van Elkins, 1700 South Warren avenue.

Mrs. George Petersen, Kansas City, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. A. L. Dickman, 1607 West Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Flora returned to Decatur, Ill., after spending a few weeks with Mrs. George Bichsel, 624 West Fourth street.

Kenneth Bealer, 202½ South

Byrnes Grew Along With Complexities of Job

By J. M. Roberts, Jr.
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

When James F. Byrnes became secretary of state 18 months ago there were those who feared that a mighty good pilot in domestic waters had been carried out of his depth. But Byrnes seemed to grow along with the complexities of his job until, by the time of the Paris foreign ministers conference last summer, he was able to take the lead in international maneuvering which had been held by the Russians and British.

Now, in the flush of major successes during the recent New York conferences, he resigns.

Although known to be needing a rest, Byrnes had been expected

by the public to carry on for a while longer. Only the presence of General Marshall to take over prevents considerable shock. That plus Byrnes' development of a firm, continuing and non-partisan foreign policy which should lose nothing through being administered by a man who has never had political connections.

Some Speculation
It is a policy, too, whose success is its own best safeguard against change. The concessions which Russia has made across the conference table, her lessened pressure on the Danube, the Dardanelles, Iran and elsewhere, match too closely the pattern of U. S. counterpressure to be mere coincidence.

There will be speculation and some outcries. The change, making General Marshall a part of the civilian administration and putting him next in line for the presidency should anything happen to Mr. Truman during the next two years, probably will re-berate in domestic politics. Foreign quarters will be alert to the possibilities of the "military mind" at the state department. The next anti-American propaganda from abroad probably will link the "brass" on the foreign ministers council with American refusal to stop making atomic bombs, and "military diplomacy" will begin to share the spotlight with "dollar diplomacy" and "atomic diplomacy."

Marshall's Ability Acknowledged
But the announcement that Byrnes is retiring because of his health is well documented. And his standing in the administration was attested only a short time ago when Truman ousted politically powerful Henry Wallace from the cabinet to preserve the prestige of Byrnes and his policies in Europe.

Then, too, the fitness of Marshall for the job, regardless of brass, is generally acclaimed in this country. With Franklin D. Roosevelt and Cordell Hull, the general was one of the very few men intimately acquainted with every facet of America's foreign relations from 1939 on.

Ohio Avenue, left today for Fort Riley, Kas. to take pre-enlistment examinations for the army.

Marshall Successor To Byrnes

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tors' advice early last year that he had to "slow down." He said he could not remain secretary of state and do that.

Waited to Complete Treaties
Byrnes first asked last April 16 to be allowed to resign on July 1, expecting the European satellite peace treaties would be complete by then.

This was revealed in an exchange of correspondence with President Truman made public with dramatic suddenness by the White House last night.

When the treaties were not finished in mid-1946 Byrnes agreed with Mr. Truman to see the job through. It was finished in early December and on the 19th Byrnes restated his desire to quit effective Jan. 10 or as soon as his successor was qualified.

Bank Elects 1947 Officers

The board of directors of the Sedalia Bank and Trust company was re-elected Tuesday afternoon in a meeting of the stockholders at the Sedalia Bank and Trust building, Fourth street and Ohio avenue.

The board of directors is comprised of John McGrath, G. A. Sturges, D. S. Lamm, G. H. Trader, J. J. McGrath, C. T. Carter, E. A. Strelow, and F. V. Mehrl. Immediately following the stockholders' convocation, the re-elected directors met and elected from their own number the following company officers for the coming year: president and chairman of the board, John McGrath; vice-president, D. S. Lamm; executive vice-president, J. J. McGrath; cashier, secretary-treasurer, C. T. Carter; assistant cashier, E. A. Strelow, assistant secretary, F. V. Mehrl.

Former Nazi Cruiser Capsizes December 16
KWAJALEIN, Jan. 8.—(P)—The former Nazi heavy cruiser Prinz Eugen which survived both atomic explosions at Bikini last summer capsized suddenly and sank December 16.

A battering blow from the underwater explosion of an atomic bomb July 25 presumably loosened the Eugene's stern plates, which gave way as she was riding quietly at anchor in Kwajalein lagoon with other survivors of atomic power.

Given Two Years On Check Charge
POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Jan. 8.—(P)—Mrs. Alma Davis McArdle, aged 25, of Ellipton, was sentenced to two years in the Missouri penitentiary when she pleaded guilty to charges of forgery of checks before Circuit Judge Randolph Weber today.

Bomb Explodes In Nuernberg
FRANKFURT, Germany, Jan. 8.—(P)—U. S. Army headquarters said today that a bomb exploded last night in a Nuernberg denazification court, tearing plaster from the walls, but causing no injury. The courtroom was empty and there were no known files of German records in the room.

Quisenberry Chili Supper
The Quisenberry Community club will have a chili supper, with families bringing their own chili, crackers and table service, on Friday night, January 10.

A card party will follow.

Alarm Tripped
Both Sedalia Police Patrol cars made a hurried trip to the McLaughlin Furniture Co., at 2:15 o'clock this morning, when an alarm was tripped. An investigation revealed everything in order and nothing wrong.

World War II was only one-eighth as serious a drain on the total man power of the United States as was the Civil War. In that war the total deaths resulting from the war was 617,000 or 2 per cent of the entire population.

While working with newly discovered platinum in 1803, William Hyde Wollaston, British chemist and physicist, isolated the precious white metal, palladium, and named it in honor of the planetoid, Pallas.

\$6,000,000 Fire In New Jersey
WEEHAWKEN, N. J., Jan. 8.—(P)—A wind-fanned fire, which sent great billows of smoke over the Hudson river waterfront opposite midtown Manhattan, razed a freight-laden export pier of the New York Central railroad to the water level and badly damaged another today.

A railroad spokesman said the loss would reach at least \$6,000,000. Five railroad employees were injured in the spectacular general alarm fire.

Five hours after the blaze started, fire officials said it was under control, but they expected to battle burning creosoted pilings on one pier for many more hours.

Arthur Umbles Dies
Arthur Umbles died at the City Hospital No. 2 at 4:30 Tuesday afternoon. His only survivors are several step-brothers and step-sisters.

The body is at the Ferguson funeral home. Funeral arrangements are not completed.

Bond Forfeited
George Merriott, Stover, arrested for being intoxicated and disturbing the peace in the 900 block on East Third street, did not appear in police court this morning and his bond of \$15 was ordered forfeited by Magistrate W. E. Scotten.

Purchases Registered Bull
L. I. Patrick, of Sedalia, has recently purchased the registered Brown Swiss bull, Patty's Joseph of El-Leo 78291, from Elmer E. Mussman, Vinton, Iowa, according to a report from Fred S. Idtse, secretary of the Brown Swiss Cattle Breeders' Association, Belfort, Wis.

Application of fluoride to children's teeth have been tried in an effort to prevent tooth decay.

Rose O'Neill Home Burns

BRANSON, Mo., Jan. 8.—(P)—Art treasures and manuscripts of the late Rose O'Neill, internationally known Ozark artist and writer, were destroyed last night in a fire which swept her home, Bonnie Brook, near Day, Mo.

Bethel W. Eiserman, banker, estimated the value of the contents at \$50,000 and that of the three-story 14-room house at \$8,000 to \$10,000.

Clarence O'Neill, co-owner and only resident of the house, was away visiting a neighbor at the time of the fire. He said the damage was not covered by insurance.

Plumbing Stalled
PONTIAC, Ill., Jan. 8.—(P)—Pontiac plumbers are so busy plumbing these days that none of them wants to work for the city.

But unless one of them plumbs the other plumbers' plumbing, they're all going to run plumb out of work.

The city code says no new plumbing work may start without an inspection permit from the city plumbing inspector, a job none of the Pontiac plumbers seems to want.

After L. M. Shugart quit the job the city council appointed Fred Harris but he wouldn't accept. The council now says it can't find any plumber who will.

Senators Launch Anti-Filibuster

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—(P)—Five senators launched an anti-filibuster drive today with strong prospects it will carry to the senate floor and provoke historic debate — perhaps a filibuster.

Senator Knowland (R-Calif.) introduced one of three proposals to smash the rule protecting unlimited debate, said he thinks there is "a good chance" that the rules committee will give the senate a chance to act on a change. Knowland is a member of the committee.

Mrs. Eliza Harris' Funeral Friday p. m.
Funeral services for Mrs. Eliza Harris, who died at her home, 112 Pettis street, Sunday will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Ferguson chapel with the Rev. M. H. Van Hoose of Quinn chapel A. M. E. church, to officiate.

Burial will be in the Glenwood cemetery.

The body will remain at the Ferguson funeral home until the funeral hour.

Attended Meeting In Springfield
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coffman, Mrs. W. L. Monegan, Mrs. Max Holland, Mrs. Clyde Griffey, and Mrs. J. E. Downey went today to Springfield to attend a meeting of the Social Order of the Beauceant.

Legion Meeting Thursday
There will be a meeting of Post 342 of the American Legion at the State Guard armory at 8 o'clock Thursday night.

Received Bouquet of Roses
Mrs. Lawrence A. Ditton and daughter, Carol Louise, 405 North Hurley, received today a bouquet of American Beauty roses from Sgt. Lawrence Ditton who is stationed with the occupational forces in Germany.

It was slightly less safe to be an U. S. Army officer than to be in the ranks in World War II. Officers accounted for 13 per cent of battle deaths, a little higher than their proportionate strength of 10 per cent.

The speed of sound varies with temperature from 660 miles an hour at 67 degrees below zero to 800 miles an hour at 100 degrees above zero.

Fire in a South Kentucky Ave. Home

Fire, caused from a defective furnace, caused damage estimated at \$700 to the residence and contents of William F. Barnes, 1603 South Kentucky avenue, about 1:37 o'clock this afternoon. The losses are covered by insurance.

The fire started in the back part of the house, under the kitchen, and burned its way beneath the floor and into the walls of the kitchen.

Both fire companies answered the alarm.

Reformatory Escapee Held in Washington

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 8.—(P)—A man identified by Sheriff Halan Callahan as Fred J. Boyce, 32, an escapee from the Jefferson City, Mo., reformatory, is being held at Bothell, Wash., awaiting extradition to Missouri.

Sheriff Callahan said Boyce had been working as a carpenter at Bothell under the name of Fred Rogers. The man admitted, the sheriff said, that he escaped eight years ago while serving a two-year term for second degree burglary.

Demonstrates 'Safety-Scape'

ATLANTA, Jan. 8.—(P)—A 65-year-old Detroit barber dropped 12 floors from an Atlanta hotel window today to demonstrate a simple mechanical device designed to save persons trapped in hotel fires.

"Nothing to it," commented the barber, Irvin Bassett, after the first of two descents for the benefit of Atlanta Fire Department officials and a representative of the Southeastern Underwriters Association.

Fire Chief C. C. Styron, who directed firemen at the Wincoff hotel last month when 19 persons lost their lives, said "It is a wonderful device as far as it goes."

"I'd a lot rather have it than a piece of rope." One disadvantage, he added, would be descent of persons through flames pouring from lower windows.

The device, patented under the name of "Safety-Scape," permits descent by a steel ribbon released from an automatic reel. It loops under the person's arms. Attachment inside the reel can be either permanent or temporary.

Bassett descended the 12 floors at about the speed of an elevator — 18 seconds. He came down in regular business dress, pushing gently away from the hotel wall about every two floors to keep from rubbing it. His knees barely buckled as he stepped on the grass lawn and his glasses remained firmly on his nose.

Polish Girl Appreciative

Betty Watson, 13-year-old Smith-Cotton high school student, who last year attended Jefferson school has received a letter from a Polish woman, a widow, to whom a gift was sent last January 16, from Betty. The gift was taken to school and sent in a box with gifts from other children, to Poland. The letter, as interpreted, follows:

"Dear Friend:
"Well, I got to let you know by writing that we have received your gift. We heartily thank you for it and for remembering us Polish people after that awful war which we went through."

"The holidays are getting near which we are wishing you the best of everything and a prosperous New Year and the best of luck stay with you and let the morning star shine on you Americans and America which represents the whole world."

"Heartily good wishes."
Signed: "Celia Padykuta"
The letter was dated December 11, 1946.

Asks Support Of Red Cross

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—(P)—President Truman today called for support of the American Red Cross in its annual drive for funds.

Addressing his appeal specifically to government workers, Mr. Truman said in a statement that when disasters threaten "we look to the American Red Cross for prompt and effective emergency help."

Activities of the organization have been turned from the demands of war, he said, to "binding up the wounds of war."

"Large numbers of men will still be in uniform," he added, "there are millions of veterans to whom the Red Cross has an obligation."

Births

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. John Glenn, Ottumville, at 6:55 o'clock Friday morning, January 3, at Bothwell hospital.

Son, Albert Nolan, born January 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Al Clutter, of 2405 Howland Drive, Temple City, Calif. Mrs. Clutter is the former Miss Dorothy Bricken, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Bricken, 505 South Grand avenue.

Traffic Cases
Four overtime parking bonds were ordered forfeited in police court this morning by Judge W. E. Scotten, when defendants failed to appear. Those forfeiting one-dollar bonds were: George Hayes, 622½ East Fifth street; O. O. Green, 703 West Fourth street; J. L. Metcalf, Cole Camp, and Tom Yount, 500½ South Ohio avenue.

Chicago Grain Table
CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—(P)—

	High	Low	Close	Close
			Tues.	Wed.
WHEAT	2.14	2.13	2.13	2.13
Jan.	2.04	2.04	2.04	2.04
Mar.	1.94	1.93	1.93	1.94
May	1.79	1.77	1.78	1.78
CORN	1.32	1.30	1.31	1.30
Jan.	1.30	1.28	1.29	1.29
Mar.	1.23	1.21	1.22	1.22
May	1.27	1.26	1.26	1.26
OATS	.75	.74	.75	.74
Mar.	.69	.68	.69	.69
July	.64	.63	.63	.63
Sept.	.60	.60	.60	.60
BARLEY	—	—	1.25	1.25

OBITUARIES

Mrs. H. L. Thornton Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Allie Murrell Thornton, widow of the late Homer L. Thornton, who died Monday afternoon at her home, 901 West Fourth street, were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Fifth Street Methodist church, with the Rev. H. U. Campbell, officiating.

Mrs. George Lovercamp, Mrs. A. H. Lueinghoerner, Bert Pearson and Lee Peabody sang: "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," "Crossing the Bar" and "Beneath the Cross of Jesus," with Mrs. Mae Moore as accompanist.

Palbearers were Walter Burnett, Smith Parkhurst, Earl Orr, F. D. Young, A. H. Kueker and Clyde Galbreath.

Burial was in Memorial Park cemetery.

Harvey Crouch Services

Funeral services for Harvey Crouch, 45 years old, former Sedalia, son of C. M. Crouch, 519 East Fifth street, who died at Detroit, Mich., Sunday night, will be held at 2:30 Thursday afternoon at the Gillespie funeral home with the Rev. Edgar L. Knight, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer.

B. L. Pearson will sing one song, "Crossing the Bar," with Mrs. H. O. Foraker as accompanist.

Palbearers will be Pat Pummill, Frank Williams, Harold Teeters, Norman Prime, LeRoy Dent and Edward Walje.

The body will arrive in Sedalia at 5:45 o'clock this evening accompanied by his widow who was met in St. Louis by Mr. Crouch's sister, Mrs. Ralph Capes, 122 West Broadway, and his two brothers, Allison and Machie Crouch, both of Pekin, Ill., who will come to Sedalia with her.

Mr. Crouch is also survived by two other brothers, Roy and Charles Crouch of Sedalia, his stepmother, Mrs. C. M. Crouch and an aunt, Mrs. A. G. Williams of Sedalia.

Interment will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Military services by the American Legion will be held at the cemetery.

Wm. Cramer Services

Funeral services for William Cramer, 61, who died at his home in Hermann, Mo., early Friday morning were held at the funeral home in Hermann at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon and interment was made in the cemetery there.

Mr. Cramer was the son of the late Jacob and Carolyn Cramer and resided for many years in the Clifton City community.

Surviving are his wife, two daughters, a son, six brothers and two sisters. One sister, Mrs. Geraldine Monsees resides near Sedalia, the other, Mrs. Dora McNulty resides in Clifton City and three of the brothers, J. J. Cramer, Albert Cramer and Ernest Cramer reside in the Clifton City community. The three brothers named attended the funeral service at Hermann.

Mrs. Mary Fisher Service
Funeral services for Mrs. Mary C. Fisher, widow of Charles V. Fisher, who died at 509 West Second street, Tuesday morning were held at 10:00 o'clock this morning at the McLaughlin funeral chapel with the Rev. Edgar L. Knight, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating.

Burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Funeral of Hubbard Ragan

Funeral services for Hubbard Ragan, who died Monday shortly after noon of a heart attack near his home on the Pettis-Benton line road, were held this afternoon at the Union Hill church near Vienna, Mo.

The Rev. Travis John of Vienna officiated. Six nephews served as pallbearers.

Interment was in the Ragan family lot in the Union Hill cemetery.

The body was taken in the Ewing funeral coach to Vienna yesterday afternoon.

William Fay Richey Services
Funeral services for William Fay Richey, former Sedalia, who died of a heart attack at Houston Monday about noon, will be held at the Ewing funeral home at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The Rev. J. Fred King will officiate. Mrs. Mae Moser will be in charge of the music.

Interment will be in the Memorial Park cemetery.

Mr. Richey is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lenora Richey; one son by his first marriage, Ellis Fay Richey; one son and one daughter by his second marriage; Carolyn Richey and Wm. Wayne Richey; one brother, Pfc. Raymond Richey, Washington, D. C.; one sister, Roxie May Riche

The first statue of George Washington was erected on the state capitol lawn in Raleigh N. C.

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Grand Jury Had to Inspect Filthy Jails

In 1914 Sedalia Jail Was Inspected As Were Others

Compiled by the State Historical Society of Missouri at Columbia, Floyd C. Shoemaker, secretary.

The stench that arose from the floor was excruciating. Each member of the grand jury took out his pocket handkerchief and applied it to his nose and then stoically went on with his painful duty of inspecting the jail at the corner of Sixth and Chestnut streets. This was in January 1861, and the grand jury had been forced to this painful action by the barbed editorials in the St. Louis newspapers.

On reaching the pantry they found that the only bread there was hard and mouldy, the bean soup bitter and greasy, and the beef "too tough for the jury's organs of mastication, besides this it smelt bad."

In some cells they found as many as eleven prisoners, and in none were there less than four. It was necessary that the prisoners take turns sleeping as there was only one bed in each cell. While two slept the others were obliged to walk to keep warm since they were very poorly clad.

"Forgotten People" In many cases the prisoners were found to be the "forgotten people." There was a Negro who had been there three years, guilty of no crime, but waiting for the court to decide who was his rightful owner. In another cell, among hardened criminals, was a small boy who had been locked in the jail for three months as a witness in a certain case.

The grand jury discovered many horrors in the filthy old jail and immediately presented a wordy report labelling the city jail a nuisance and recommended immediate sanitary measures be taken. They advised that the jailer in the future should be appointed by county commissioners instead of being elected.

Throughout the state indignation was felt at the treatment of prisoners, not so much for physical abuse as for the filthy places of confinement. In 1909 the people of Columbia began clamoring for a new Boone county jail but nothing was done about it. In 1912 the newspapers pointed out that the old structure, erected in 1848, was a disgrace, sanitary and hygienic conditions totally neglected, without baths, heated by stoves, and with no classification of prisoners. The University Mission, December 1, 1912, pointed out that the jail would be a disgrace anywhere but it was more marked in Columbia, "The seat of a great university where sociology receives so much attention."

Diseased With Healthy In 1914 J. L. Wagner, secretary of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, after a trip to jails and almshouses in Missouri in Jefferson City, Sedalia, Higginsville, Marshall, Lexington, and Carrollton, said that without exception they were filthy, insanitary, overcrowded, and that the diseased were placed in with the healthy prisoners.

The condition of Missouri jails also got a few laughs. In its issue of November 1, 1867, the Western Times suggested that in view of the frequent escapes from the Plattsburgh, St. Joseph, and Liberty jails, they should be rented out for chicken coops as they were good for nothing else.

A brick jail erected in 1865 at Versailles had been the scene of so many jail breaks staged by digging and chipping away the foundation that in the language of one of the town was who had been confined in it "it was not safe to sleep in as a feller is likely to fall out anywhere."

Olive Branch PTA Program

A large number of parents and friends met December 20, for the regular Olive Branch P. T. A. meeting.

A gift laden tree, large poinsettias at each window, and red and white bells decorated the room.

Mrs. I. J. Rhoads presided over the business meeting which was opened with the group singing "Silent Night" and repeating the Lord's Prayer.

Miss Cora Brady and her students presented the following Christmas program: "Welcome," Virginia Grimes; "Skaters Waltz," group of boys and girls; readings, "A Boy's Gift," Keith Eads; piano solo, Virginia Grimes; reading, "When Santa Comes," Patricia Quint and Shirley Lane; reading, "My Christmas Wish," Tommy Grimes; play, "To Much Christmas," Lorene and Mervin Canida, Norma Rhoads, Shirley Thomas, Keith Eads, Eldon O'Neill, Helen Kindle, and Glenn Lee; rhythm band and singing, "Up on the Housetop" by school; speech "Bundles," Margaret June Hyatt; "Santa Claus is Coming to Town," school; reading "Santa Claus is Coming to Town," Eldon Lee McClain; play, "Presents for Santa"—James and Tommy Kindle, Dale Rhoads, Roy and Lowell Benware; song "Twelve the Night Before Christmas," school; "Winter Wonderland," by chorus with Sue Carolyn Hyatt on the solo; "Christmas Prayer," Glenn Lee; "Christmas Lullaby"; and the closing song "Joy to the World," by the audience. Miss Jo Ann Hyatt accompanied on the piano.

During the social hour presents were exchanged and refreshments of apples and candy were served.

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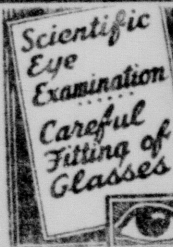
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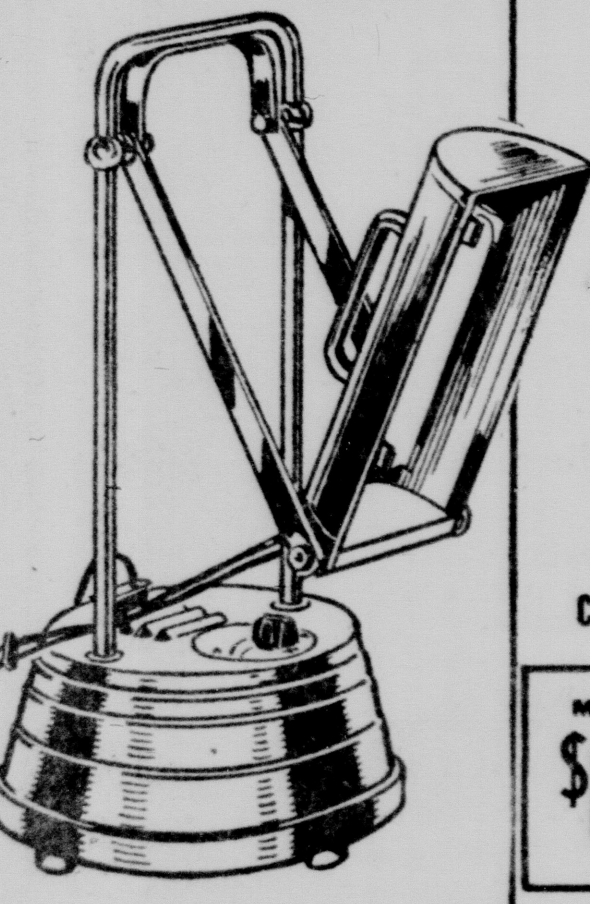
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Social Events—Clubs

Miss Helen Marie Farren, the daughter of Mrs. William Francis Farren of Kansas City and Mr. William Davis, also of that city, were married at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, January 4, at the Church of the Annunciation. A reception followed at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. William F. Farren, Jr., and Mrs. Farren in Hickman Mills.

Miss Warren, now Mrs. Davis, has frequently visited in Sedalia and has many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Decker of Liberty had all their children and grandchildren with them during the Christmas holidays. This was the first time they all had been together in five years.

Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Decker and daughters, Jeanne and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Decker and daughter Ruth Ann and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Decker all of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Decker and daughter, Judy all of Winwood, north Kansas City; and Mr. and Mrs. Wessley Gehlken and daughter, Wessley Kay of Kansas City.

Christmas gifts were exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Twilling, Sr., of Marshall, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeanne, to Mr. Henry J. Weinrich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weinrich also of Marshall.

The wedding will take place this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mahnken of Smithton, entertained with a dinner New Year's Eve, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wells, who were married that afternoon. Other guests at the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Merk, and Donald Mahnken.

The Ruth Circle of Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church will meet Thursday at 2 p. m. at the home of its leader, Mrs. Elmer Maune, 1420 South Ohio avenue.

Mrs. Vaughan, educational chairman of the Women's Guild, will present material from which the group will select the discussion topics for the coming year. The work projects will also be presented at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Jackson of Smithton, entertained Monday night, January 6, at an oyster supper, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor, of San Bernardino, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor are visiting relatives and friends in Smithton. Other supper guests

were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderson.

Miss Mary Lou Jackson entertained with a miscellaneous shower at her home in Smithton, Saturday afternoon, December 28, in honor of Mrs. Cloyd Merk, a recent bride. Guests were: Misses Lois Bremer, Lorena Curtis, Jo Ann Daniels, Ruth Evelyn Green, Darlene Oehrke, Melva May, Betty Jean Meyers, Nancy Kay Monsees, Marian Monsees, Bonnie Fay Sharper, and Wilma Wagenknecht. Those invited, but unable to attend were Mrs. Otto Meyers and Mrs. Mason Peoples of Sedalia, and Miss Bessie Walter of Kansas City. The home was decorated in the Christmas theme. Games were played during the afternoon, and refreshments were served. The bride received many lovely gifts. She is the former Miss Bonnie Fay Sheehs.

Miss Jessa Loueva McKeehan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McKeehan, 1425 South Limit avenue, became the bride of Gurjin Doyal Waisner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monrow Waisner, Edwards, Mo., Saturday evening, January 4. The Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer read the single ring ceremony at his home.

The bride wore a two piece light blue street dress with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Her only attendant was Miss Anita Parks.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. On the bride's table was a three tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Mrs. E. D. Marshall and Mrs. L. D. Perdue served in the dining room.

Mr. Waisner served three years in the Navy and received his discharge February, 1946.

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Engaged



Two of the nation's most socially prominent families will be united May 31 with marriage in Washington, D. C., of Anne Moen Bullitt, above, to Nicholas Duke Biddle, according to engagement announced by Miss Bullitt's father, William C. Bullitt, former U. S. ambassador to France and Col. Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, Jr., and Mrs. Mary Duke Biddle, of Philadelphia, Pa.

Community News From

Houstonia

Mrs. Bennie Martin

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pauley, of Kansas City, were guests of Mr. Pauley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Pauley during the holidays.

Christmas eve guests in the S. L. Yokeley home were Mr. and Mrs. John Peeler, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcoxson, of Denver, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ryan, of Sedalia. Mrs. Anna Wilcoxson is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. S. L. Yokeley, and Mr. Yokeley.

Mrs. Ringen, of Sedalia, spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Norfleet, Mr. Norfleet and family, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Gill, of Denver, Colo., visited relatives and friends here recently. Mrs. Gill is the former Miss Minnie Selvey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Butts had as their Christmas day guests the following children and relatives: Mr. and Mrs. John Butts and family, of Lees Summit; Mr. and Mrs. John Herring and daughter, of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Smiley and children and Miss Josephine Butts. Mr. and Mrs. Herring and daughter spent Christmas evening in the home of his parents. Other guests that evening were Mr. and Mrs. Phil Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Montgomery and Mrs. John Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Yokeley and Mrs. Anna Wilcoxson had as Christmas day dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Murry Waisner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sade-white and family, of Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcoxson, of Denver, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ryan, of Sedalia, and Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Owens.

Jimmie Jean Hand, who is employed in Sedalia, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elza Hand.

Miss Irma Hoffman, of St. Louis, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman and brother, Pvt. Harlin Hoffman, of New Jersey.

Pvt. Ira Williams, of Fort Riley, Kas., and Pvt. Harlin Hoffman, of New Jersey, were home for the Christmas holidays.

The Thursday Contract Bridge club members entertained at a turkey dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Rhinehart, Thursday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Wicker, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Donahoe, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nutt, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Higgins, Mrs. Jack Morris and Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Rhinehart, of near Knob Noster, former Houstonians, spent two weeks with their daughters and families in Tulsa and Oklahoma City, Okla. They then went to Texas to spend the winter with their children living there.

District Meet Feb. 17

The next medical meeting, arrangements for which will be further completed and a program fixed, will be at the Hotel Bothwell on Monday, Feb. 17, it is to be a district one and will be largely attended, it is said.

The afternoon will be taken up with discussions and talks. In the evening a banquet will be served.

The district is the sixth and comprises besides Pettis county ten other counties.

Attending the meeting Monday in addition to society members were Dr. R. M. Kennedy, Marshall, counsellor of the local district of the Missouri Medical society, and Ray McIntyre, field secretary for the Missouri society whose headquarters are in St. Louis.

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Directors Of C. of C. Meet

Need For More Housing Stressed At Dinner Tuesday

The Chamber of Commerce board of directors held their monthly business meeting after a steak dinner at Puckett's Cafe at 6:00 o'clock Tuesday evening, with 16 present. Abe Silverman, president, presided.

The agriculture division of the C. of C. under the direction of Leon Archias, is investigating plans for a rat eradication campaign in the downtown district.

Albert Zurcher, director in charge of the housing division, stressed the need for more housing facilities for the people coming into Sedalia. A plea will be made to residents in Sedalia to rent out their spare rooms.

The Community Chest committee will meet at 3:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce offices. Roy Shick is chairman of this committee.

Pettis Chapter No. 279, O. E. S., will meet in regular session on Friday, Jan. 10, at 7:30 p. m. Visiting members welcome. Social session.

Bennie Nave, W. M. Gertrude Holland, Sec'y.

Masonic Notice

Sedalia Chapter No. 18, Royal Arch Masons will meet in Stated Convocation Thursday evening, January 9, 1947. Installation of officers for 1947. All Royal Arch Masons are invited to attend.

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Church Events

The Ladies' Aid Society of the St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the church for its business and social meeting.

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Sculpture Provides Time Savers For Industry

By Hal Boyle

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Jan. 7.—(P)—Art has been put into harness in many modern factories.

Paul Rudin, a 43-year-old Swiss of many talents, is an example of how the creative eye and imagination of the sculptor can provide time-saving short cuts for industry.

Paul is an intense and sensitive artist and writer who wanted to be an engineer in his youth but gave it up because he was a pacifist. "I felt that engineering in Europe only led to war," he said, "and I thought that through art and literature I could do more for peace."

He came to New York in 1920 after study in Paris where fellow artists accused him of "shooting at the moon" because he worked for the development of a United States of Europe.

In the big money days of that boom period Paul had more commissions than he could execute in his Greenwich Village studio. But art fell on evil days when the depression came and Rudin moved to an old mill at Towners, N. Y., to save rent.

Sought Employment

When war broke out he joined other artists and professional men who sought factory employment. His supervisors at the Chance Vought division of United Aircraft here were at first hard put to find an outlet for his special skill.

A sculptor seemed about as valuable to them in building airplanes as a veterinarian.

Paul found his own place. He noticed that it took months to make an experiment with wooden models for the new shapes of airplane engine and mounting parts being evolved by engineers. Sometimes scores of shapes had to be tried before the one most efficient was found.

"I asked to try to reduce the time by making plaster models," he said. And somewhat dubious supervisors gave him the chance.

Plant engineers found almost at once that Paul was the answer to their prayers. With the sculptor's

instinctive sense of form he was able in a few hours to model the designs they formulated, designs so intricate they could not even be shown in line drawings.

Rudin eventually found a way to make his plaster models so strong that engineers could test them and improve the designs without both- ering to make metal castings — another time-saver.

Every engine part is a compromise in an effort to condense a maximum amount of performance into a minimum of space. Engineers say Paul's ability to visualize new shapes has helped improve their designs, but he himself merely said:

"I am merely one more method by which the engineers can proceed deeper into speculation. Through this work I have learned a new understanding of the grammar of form."

He has modeled one air duct with curves so delicate that work- ers at the plant feel it should be

put on display as a masterpiece of modern art.

"Lady in Flight"

"I would call it 'Lady in Flight,'" he smiled.

In his spare time Rudin experiments with flowers, builds furna- ture, makes etchings, wood engrav- ings and water colors and trans- lates such American legends as "Johnny Appleseed" into schwei- serdeutsch, a Swiss variant of the German language.

Every so often he wears of fashioning abstract engineering forms and sculps an eagle or other conventional figure to stick up around the plant.

I asked him if making plaster models of other men's designs sat- isfied him and he grinned and said:

"There are some things in a sculptor's soul we shouldn't go into."

But he has proved sculptors have a place in industry. The factory here has hired three more.

Forty Years Ago

Charles S. Williams, formerly deputy county recorder, has re- ceived an appointment to a clerk- ship in the house of representa- tives at Jefferson City.

Joseph D. Donohue and W. H. Ramsey, who for a long period of time had contemplated a trip to the Pacific Coast, left this after- noon for Los Angeles to be absent for about three weeks.

D. W. Bouldin, E. E. Bouldin and Vic McCurdy of Georgetown went to Columbia today to attend a meeting of the State Breeders Association.

Albert Kahn, recovering from a recent severe illness, is con- templating a trip to Hot Springs, Ark., to further his conva- lescence.

A case of diphtheria to a pupil of Oak Grove school west of Sedalia resulted in a suspension of school classes temporarily in that district.

J. E. Snedeker, until recently trainmaster for the Missouri Pa- cific here, now superintendent at

Coffeyville, Kas., is here arrang- ing for the removal of his family to that place about January 15.

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Community News from KNOB NOSTER

Mrs. F. Kendrick
Mr. and Mrs. Glen E. White, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, were dinner guests of his sister, Mrs. Russell Kendrick, and Mr. Kendrick, Thursday.

Miss Irene Smiley, who teaches at Forder school in St. Louis, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smiley.

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Mr. Hugo Kappelman, of La Monte
was a guest in the Smiley home Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Coats and the former's father, Sam Coats, en- tertained with a family dinner at their home Sunday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reynolds and children, of north of Warrensburg; Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Thompson and son, of Lees Summit; Miss Mary Coats of Sedalia and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coats and children.

Miss Maudie Eckles, of Grand Rapids, Iowa, is spending the holi- days with her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Sibert, and Mr. Sibert.

Miss Louis Peithman, of St. Louis, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Peithman. They all spent Christmas day in Sedalia with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Raut.

Mrs. Henry Blaine and daugh- ter, Judy, spent Wednesday and Thursday with her sisters, Mrs. Marie Stephenson and son, Dale, and Mrs. Ruby Leurs.

Mrs. Earl Smith, of Vinings, Georgia, arrived Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Utley and son, R. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baird and children, of Washington, D. C., are

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The following were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hughes and sons, Michael and Philip, Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rice and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, of Granite City, Ill.; Miss Burney Rice, of Butte, Mont.; Mrs. Lula Rice, of Warrensburg; Mrs. Mackie Hughes and son, of La Monte; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hughes and daughter, of Independence; Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Lay and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hughes, Miss Rena Lay and Ray Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carr and son, Bob, went to Kansas City Tuesday to spend a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Jack Conboy, Mr. Conboy and daughter.

Miss Kate Kock, who teaches in Marshall, is spending the holidays with her father, James A. Kock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Saults and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Saults and daughter and Mrs. Eula Patton were breakfast guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Covey and children, Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kendrick and daughter were break- fast guests of their daughter, Mrs. Robert Breen, and son, Leonard.

Pvt. Amos "Buddy" Yokley, stationed at Camp Lowry, Denver, is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Yokley, Sr.

Mrs. Keith Ream, of Kansas City, arrived Wednesday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Kendrick.

Magnifying lenses were known in ancient times, but manufacture of optical glass in the modern sense did not begin until 1790.

If you live in a modern heated house and enjoy warm tempera- tures the year around, so do the moths. Even in winter it's a good idea to brush, clean, sun and air your woollens and furs to dislodge any moth eggs or larvae.

Yucatan Indians weave cere- monial belts and fringed orna- ments from the cocoons of the giant "silk" moths of the Ameri- cas.

The Indian name for Tucson, Ariz., was Stjukshon, which has been variously translated to mean "dark spring" and "at the foot of a black hill."

Ambulance Service—Ph 8

Toy Pistol Packer

Geraldine Coker, 22, of St. Louis, shows the toy plastic pistol she used to hold up a St. Louis liquor store. A cus- tomer caught her within half a block with the money which she said she needed to pay her hotel bill. (NEA PHOTO)

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Elmdale Cream Style 2 No. 2 29¢	Nice Lean Pork Steaklb. 49¢	20-oz. Pkg. Lee Rolled Oats 12¢
Sweet Corncans 29¢	Grade A U.S. Choice Round Steaklb. 55¢	5-Lb. Bag Lee Rolled Oats 33¢
Bran 100 lbs. \$2.55	Grade A U.S. Choice T-Bone Steaklb. 59¢	Red Triumph Potatoes 10 lbs 39¢
Shorts 100 lbs. \$2.65	Grade A U.S. Choice Sirloin Steaklb. 49¢	Good Eating Apples 2 lbs 29¢
Gallon can—in syrup	Salt Jowlslb. 29¢	Sweet and Juicy Sunkist Oranges doz. 25¢
Peaches 79¢	Neck Bones 2 lbs. 29¢	Texas Seedless Grapefruit 6 for 19¢
Large Box Fredrick Soap Powderbox 27¢		
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6—Monuments and Cemetery Lots
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7—Personals
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STRAYED: HOUND DOG, white with black ears. Reward. Herschel Walk, Phone 7-F-14.

GOVERNMENT CHECK LOST: Between North Randolph and East End Drug Store. Please return 318 North Randolph. J. B. Spratley.

LOST: ENGLISH SETTER PUP, 6 months, brown ears. Answers to name of "Penny." Finder contact Henry E. Engle, Phone 1231-W or 700. Reward.

STRAYED: FOX TERRIER, pointed ears, light cream, crippled hind leg. Began several weeks. Anyone knowing of this dog please call 1706-W. Volle Moore.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale
OR TRADE, 1939 Buick Coach, Main and Park.

1931 FORD TRUCK: 708 East 13th. Phone 129-R.

1933 TERRAPLANE, very clean. Hamilton Motor Co.

GREEN, 1940 CHEVROLET sedan. \$950. Phone 2855-M.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Seven-year-old Senator James Murray of Montana, Democrat, let loose some fighting words at younger Senator Kenneth Wherry, Nebraska Republican, when the latter confronted him with the flat announcement that the senate small business probe of the newspaper and newsprint monopoly.

A month earlier, when Wherry delayed the investigation, thereby

getting in wrong with certain Nebraska newspaper constituents, Murray had come to his Republican colleague's rescue. Together they issued a joint statement that the news probe would definitely be held January 7. This compromise statement was made early in December, when the Democrats still controlled the senate and when Murray could have proceeded on his own. However, he relied on Wherry's word that the hearings would be held in January — even though the Republicans then would be in control.

Last week, however, after whispered conferences with GOP kingmakers Taft and White, Wherry abruptly strode across the senate floor to inform Murray.

"You will not begin hearings on Tuesday morning. The whole thing is off."

The tall Montana senator exploded verbally.

However, he was helpless. With the Republicans in the majority, there was nothing he could do. Accordingly, about 40 scheduled witnesses, some en route from various parts of the country, were called off. Among them was Secretary of the Interior Krug who planned to propose that Alaskan forests be opened for American newsprint — if congress gave him the proper authority and cooperation.

Too Many Readers For Newsprint

Working at cross purposes regarding this investigation were two sets of circumstances and lobbyists. One was the fact that there now are 1,000,000,000 people who can read, the greater demand for newspapers and newsprint. Russia, once with only 25 per cent of its people literate, now is 75 per cent literate. Education also has increased in Latin America, Europe, Asia and the United States. Thus the problem of newsprint is serious and will become more so.

Simultaneously, the big magazines, especially Time, Life, Fortune, The Saturday Evening Post, the big trade journals, such as Iron Age, and some of the big newspapers such as the Chicago Tribune, New York News, and New York Times have cornered many of the pulp mills of the United States and Canada. This has left scores of smaller papers out in the cold.

Approximately 1,000 of these smaller papers had written to Senator Wherry urging that the senate small business committee probe the news monopoly. On the other hand, the big newspapers, magazines and trade jour-

nals were dead opposed. One of their lobbyists, William L. Daley of the National Editorial Association (actually a lobbying front for the big trade journals), was busy as a bird dog trying to kill the investigation.

Another probe opponent was Senator Taft, who family owns the prosperous Cincinnati Times-Star and who gets enthusiastic political backing from his close friend Henry Luce, publisher of Time, Life and Fortune.

Another thing which worried the big boys were certain facts which the small business committee planned to expose regarding post office subsidies to big magazines. The committee was planning to show, for instance, that Time, Life and Fortune received an annual subsidy from the U. S. post office department of \$3,500,000 a year, while most daily newspapers get only a pittance of post office subsidy from second-class mailing privileges.

Another thing that worried the big moguls was the senate committee's discovery that the post office department had never made any analysis of the statements of newspaper and magazine ownership filed with it quarterly in order to ascertain how many magazines and papers were owned by the copper companies (as in Montana) how many by the railroads and other big interests.

This embarrassing curiosity apparently was too alarming for Senators Wherry, Taft and White so Wherry's previous pledge to

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Third National Bank of Sedalia, Missouri, will be held at the banking house in the City of Sedalia, Missouri, Monday, January 13th, 1947, beginning at 9 o'clock in the forenoon. The purpose of the meeting is for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that may be properly brought before the meeting.

H. W. MASON, President.
F. O. WITHERS, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, that the annual meeting of the stockholders of Sedalia Industrial Loan and Investment Company will be held at 122 East Second Street, Sedalia, Missouri, on January 14, 1947, at 10 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of electing seven directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

L. H. ARCHER, Jr., Vice-President.
Claude L. Boul, Secretary.

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The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Third National Bank of Sedalia, Missouri, will be held in its banking rooms on Tuesday, January 14th, 1947, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 noon for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business that may come before the meeting.

C. L. HANLEY, Cashier.

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Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Commercial Bank of Sedalia, Missouri, will be held in the Ambassador Room, mezzanine floor, Hotel Bothwell, northwest corner Fourth and Ohio Streets, Sedalia, Missouri, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1947, beginning at 9 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing nine directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, this 31st day of December, 1946.

J. E. CANNADAY, President.
D. S. LAMM, Secretary.

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Notice is hereby given that the regular annual stockholders meeting of the LaMonte Community Bank will be held at its banking house in the city of LaMonte, Missouri, on the thirtieth day of January 1947.

Said meeting will be convened at 9 o'clock a. m. and continuing during at least three hours, unless the object for which such meeting is called be accomplished sooner.

The purpose for which this meeting is called is to elect six directors for the bank to serve the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business which may properly come before the meeting.

ERNEST L. JONES, President.
B. F. PARKER, Secretary.

Gather Ye Rosebuds

THE STORY: Rose is thrilled with the thought of the very eligible Dixon Thayer, who asks if she's "the apple." "Maybe," smiles Rose.

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IN her letters from Washington Rose was uncertain how much or how little to say about Dixon Thayer, because the folks at home might get a totally erroneous idea of that. Especially Mamma, who would think that Dixon Thayer had fallen in love with Rose. And, really, it was true—he had. Mrs. Bannock said so; his constant attendance, the showers of bouquets and notes proved it. Quite sudden it was, but Rose didn't need to be told that to fall in love requires practically no time at all, that you can be flung into love, as if from a catapult. Reading between the lines of any letter Rose might write, Mamma would optimistically expect such further statements as could not conscientiously be made. For Rose did not reciprocate the sentiment. With her heart in Blakesville, in Richard Breen's pocket, she was finding Mr. Thayer's campaign exciting but a little awkward. Mr. Thayer was exactly what Mamma would think a young man ought to be.

"Only," Rose thought, "he isn't Rick!"

On the last day, Dixon Thayer invited Rose and Mrs. Bannock to motor with him down into Stafford County, to his place there.

"I want you to meet Keturah Thayer, my grandmother, my one living relative. Until you've seen her, you can have no conception of the Thayers."

Rose felt little curiosity about Dix n's grandmother, but Mrs. Bannock had said that the Stafford County place was worth seeing and no sooner had the invitation been relayed to her than Mrs. Bannock was putting on a linen duster and winding a veil over her hat.

It was not the pillared mansion Rose had imagined, but a rambling structure of wings and eels which seemed to grow out of the slope of green hills; a big white house with a roof of varied levels, green shutters, ivy-hung chimneys and glassed-in verandas.

For all its exterior whiteness, the house inside was dim and cool, with soft dark rugs thrown over dark floors, and latticed blinds drawn against the sun. Rose and Mrs. Bannock laid aside their dusters and straightened their hats in the central hall. Then Dixon led them through several calm, cool rooms and down a corridor to an open door.

"Come in," said a great, deep voice. "High time you got here."

The room they entered had chintz-papered walls, well-rubbed mahogany, mirrors in dull gold frames. Two Negro women in starched white had been seated near—yet not too near—a chair so immense it seemed to dwarf the other furnishings. In this chair sat Mrs. Keturah Thayer, a book on her lap, one hand grasping the knob of a blackthorn stick.

"Go," said the deep voice, and the servants withdrew.

Rose looked at Dixon's grandmother and knew that this must certainly be the oldest woman she had ever seen and probably the most forbidding.

Dixon dropped a kiss on her cheek. "You remember Aunt Florence Bannock, Grandma?"

"I remember Florence and I wish to speak with her later. But now the girl, Dixon. The girl."

"Miss Rose Cameron, Grandma."

"How do you do, Miss Rose Cameron?" Mrs. Thayer gestured with a blue-veined, mottled hand. "Come closer. Do you know, you're the first girl Dixon has ever brought here to see me?"

"Am I?"

"The first one he's been serious

about. Dixon said he wanted my sanction. That's a joke. He's always done just as he liked, but he thinks I don't realize it. Now you may take Miss Cameron away and show her the garden," she said to Dixon. "Where is Florence?"

"Right here," said Mrs. Bannock cheerily.

DIXON took Rose through more rooms, through a rear door into a long, narrow garden which reached toward a stream in the distance. Rose was thinking, "He must be awfully rich to own all this—I didn't dream he was so rich."

They walked on toward a low brick wall bordering the stream. "Rose?"

"I love you, Rose."

She knew it, yet was shaken. "You've just met me, you haven't had time—"

"Everything you are in your face. It's everything I love and want."

"I'm sorry, Dixon."

"There's somebody else. You told me, at the ball that first night. Are you engaged to him?"

"Well—"

"Definitely, I mean? Is it all settled?"

She thought of Richard Breen, her trysts with him in out-of-the-way corners; their attachment, so real, but unsuspected by anyone, unblemished by conventions—as yet unsatisfying. She couldn't have said it was all settled. . . . She shook her head.

"Then I'm coming out to Blakesville."

"Oh, no, Dixon! Don't come!"

"In the summer. I must. Can't you see I must? I couldn't let you go like this. I have to go on loving you—until the other thing is settled."

They walked back through the garden. . . . If only she had met Dixon Thayer a year ago, Rose thought, or six months ago, or even the week before she spilled a package of thread spools in the arcade of Lahr's store. She would surely have loved him then. He was so good, so charming, so right—

But he was not Richard Breen. (To Be Continued)

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ST. LOUIS, Jan. 8—(P)—Arthur Dunn, Denver streetcar operator who is \$750 richer as a result of checks deposited in his bank account by the government, will be asked to return the money, Col. J. E. Stewart of the army finance center said Tuesday.

Col. Stewart said he was checking the records in an attempt to determine why the money was sent to Dunn. He said the finance center has a record of a pension check going to Dunn as an individual, but he could not understand why the other payments were made directly to a bank. Dunn was unable to explain the money.

Dunn's unexpected income began last June when the bank notified him of a \$450 check deposited in his account by the U. S. government. A \$50 check has followed each month since.

Dunn, a former enlisted man, revealed his "Bonanza" at Denver last Saturday when he said: "I just want to get rid of it." He said had about decided to stop worrying about the money until he remembered that income tax filing time is close.

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Heirens, Confessed Killer, Insists He Does Not Remember

MENARD, Ill., Jan. 8—(P)—A year ago Tuesday, a killer crept into Chicago bedroom of 6 year old Suzanne Degnan, strangled her with his hands and took her body to a nearby basement and cut it up.

The heinous crime shocked the entire nation and left an indelible imprint on the lives of two families—the victim's and confessed slayer's.

Yet today, 18 year old William Heirens, the confessed killer, performed routine chores in the laundry of Menard penitentiary's psychiatric division and insisted he could not remember the slaying.

The unpredictable youth went even further, asserting he was innocent of that slaying and of the knife killings of two women.

Heirens, who is serving three life sentences following his confessions and pleas of guilty to the three killings and more than 100 burglaries, said in an interview: "I had just confessed to the burglaries I would never have been able to live out the sentences they would have given me and if I had not confessed the murders then I know it would have been a lot tougher on me, so I just went along and did what they wanted me to and confessed."

Writing Autobiography

"After the treatment I received at the Bridewell (Chicago jail) I would have confessed to anything," Heirens said he was writing his autobiography and that he would use any income derived from it to "hire a New York detective agency to investigate those murders."

At Chicago, chief of detectives Walter Storms declined to comment on Heirens' statements. John Coghlan, one of the youth's attorneys, said that the confession was made at Heirens' written direction and at the request of Heirens' parents.

Meanwhile, in an effort to forget—and be forgotten—Heirens' mother, father and brother legally changed their names yesterday.

Today, the parents of the golden-haired victim, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Degnan, had the solace of a new baby boy, born two months ago, to help blot out the hideous memory of their daughter's death. The couple also has a daughter, Elizabeth, 11.

Heirens also confessed slaying Miss Frances Brown, 33, a former Wave, and Mrs. Josephine Ross, 43, a widow, police said he was linked to the Degnan and Brown slayings by his fingerprints.

Autos In Collision

A 1936 Oldsmobile coupe driven by Clarence Carroll of LaMonte was in a collision with a 1937 Chevrolet coupe, owned by Bert Hudson, rural route 4, Sedalia Tuesday afternoon at 3:55 o'clock at Seventh street and Ohio avenue.

No one was injured and no arrests were made. The Carroll car received a dent fender.

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